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FINE PROGRAM AT AUDITORIUM

Many People Enjoy Commencement Exercises—Fifteen High School Graduates—Raymond Perkins Wins Manual Training Prize—Essays Splendidly Rendered.

The Baccalaureate Sermon.

On Sunday evening the members of the Class of 1919, South Amboy High School, assembled at the Methodist Episcopal Church to hear the Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. George W. Abel, the pastor.

The church was neatly decorated, in keeping with the occasion. Over the pulpit arch were the words in gold letters, "Welcome to Class of 1919." Streamers of green and gold, the class colors, were festooned from the pulpit to the large chandelier in the centre of the church and leading from these colors were streamers of purple and gold, the school colors, running to the floor of the pulpit recess. The import of the arrangement was to imply the pupil entering school and progressing along to the High School and finally graduating out into the world—the whole making a very pretty decoration.

The main audience room was filled with parents and friends of the graduates, when the service opened at 7.45 o'clock. Led by W. M. Emmons, secretary of the Board of Education, the graduates marched from the Sunday School room down the center aisle and took the front seats reserved for them. City Superintendent Barr and several teachers followed.

A brief song service preceded the regular service. Rev. Abel took his text from the 26th verse of the 104th Psalm, "There go the Ships," his theme being "The Voyage of Life." The pastor pictured that it was necessary in order to successfully sail the ship to have an experienced captain and pilot, who must have some port or goal to reach, and above all a chart to tell of dangerous rocks and bars, so that the ship might be safely guided into port. So with the young graduates now entering on the "Voyage of Life" some goal or object in life should be sought and in order to reach that goal a chart to direct the way should be selected and that the best and only safe chart to sail through life by was the Bible which would guide them on to a safe haven. The pastor's remarks were very interesting throughout and were greatly enjoyed and appreciated by the large audience.

Miss Elizabeth Dayton, the organist, executed some very sweet music on the large pipe organ, bringing out its excellent tone, and the choir splendidly rendered several hymns. Mr. Robert Mason beautifully sang two solos, "Hear My Cry, O Lord," and "Rebuke Me Not."

Commencement Exercises.

A large and representative audience assembled at the auditorium of the new High School on Thursday evening to witness the commencement exercises of the Class of 1919.

The stage was nicely decorated with roses and daisies and the class colors, supported by the American flag in the background. The auditorium looked splendid with its new furnishings and brilliant illumination.

The fifteen graduates have cause to rejoice that they had after twelve years of hard work reached the goal to which they have aspired, but they have further cause to be proud of the fact that they were the first to graduate from the new school, and in years to come they can with pleasure point to the building and state this fact.

The members of the high school were seated on the stage and in the front row were the graduates. It was a pretty sight when the graduates, the girls being united by a daisy chain, marched from the entrance of the auditorium to the stage. The girls were handsomely gowned in white.

Miss Yearick had charge of the singing, and Miss Cecelia Alpine presided at the piano. The program was followed by a chorus.

Barr announced that Raymond Perkins had won the manual training prize, five volumes on mechanics. The prize is awarded by Captain E. C. Roddy each year.

The class presented the school with a picture nicely framed, which was accepted on behalf of the school by Principal Boice.

Rev. Floyd Tomkins, D. D., of Philadelphia, was the speaker of the evening. He complimented the city on the new school building, spoke of trials we had from the result of the explosion, and gave credit to the people for meeting the situation so successfully. He gave a very interesting talk, and congratulated the class on their success in school work, and gave some good advice for them to follow in the future.

The graduates were: College Preparatory Course—Margaret Olmstead Brown, Alva Corella Buckelow, Claire Cecelia Donnelly, Dora Lillian Forgotson, Florence Marguerite Nielson, Ruth Emma Nilson, Raymond Earl Perkins, Louise Marie Shaw, Francis L. Tomaszewski. General Course—Blanche Brinamen, Clarence Robert Davis. Commercial Course—Luther Allen Compton, Henrietta Anna Dieker, Beatrice Pauling Selover, Etta May Sullivan.

Miss Brown held first honors and Miss Sullivan second.

The program was as follows: Chorus, "Moonlight Gavotte"; Paul Wach's Invocation; Rev. Herbert Justin Allsup, Chorus, "Ships that Pass in the Night"; Frederick Knight Logan, "South Amboy's Contribution Toward Winning the War"; Ruth E. Nilson, Chorus, "Violet Lady"; J. Lindsay Redmon, "South Amboy High School Heroes"; Blanche Brinamen, "Women and the World War"; Margaret Olmstead Brown, Chorus, "Morning Mood"; Edward Gleg, (Text from Henrik Ibsen's "Peer Gynt"); Presentation of Class Gift; Presentation of Diplomas; Supt. of Schools, Address; Floyd Tomkins, D. D., Chorus, "The Americans Come"; Pay Foster (An Episode in France in Year 1918); County Superintendent Herbert Brewster Willis was noticed among the audience, taking his seat far in the rear of the hall. His presence may be considered quite an honor to the school, and showed that he still holds love for the schools of this city.

JAMES—HENSBERGER.
On Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock Miss Elizabeth Hensberger of this city became the bride of William James of Louisville, Ky. After a short honeymoon they will return to their newly furnished home in Metuchen.

WISNEWSKI—PIERZNY.
Tuesday morning at 8.30 o'clock a large number of friends and relatives assembled in St. Stanislaus' Church, Hazleton, Pa., to witness the pretty wedding of Miss Sophia Pierzny of Hazleton to Mr. Thomas Wisniewski of this city. Rev. Aloysius Novak performed the ceremony, after which high nuptial mass was celebrated.

Miss Josephine Wisniewska, a cousin of the groom, served as bridesmaid, and Mr. Adam Miglin of Hazleton served as bestman.

After the ceremony the wedding party and guests repaired to the home of the bride where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served and a quiet social held until late in the afternoon when the happy couple started out on their wedding tour. Before returning to South Amboy, where the newlyweds intend to make their home, they will have visited Philadelphia, Atlantic City and New York.

The bride is popular in her home town and well known as a zealous social worker. The groom is very popular in the social circles both of this city and of Hazleton.

Heartly congratulations are extended to the young couple by a large host of friends who wish them success and happiness in their new "ship of life."

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GRAND CELEBRATION TO-DAY WELCOMING HOME OUR BOYS

Committee Has Completed All Arrangements for a Good Time—Victory Parade to Start 4 P. M.—Banquet and Speaking at High School Auditorium After Parade—Street Dancing and Mardi Gras on Broadway in the Evening.

Weather permitting to-day will be memorable in the history of South Amboy. It is the day we welcome home the boys who were in the service of their country. It should be a day of great rejoicing, but still there will be a tinge of sadness owing to some of our boys having paid the supreme sacrifice for their country.

The Welcome Home Committee has completed all arrangements, and if the program is carried out as planned it will be a great day for the boys who wore khaki. The parade will move from City Hall at 4 p. m., and indications are that it will be one of the largest ever seen in this city. The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will have a great showing, and they have prepared a float that will prove a feature of the parade. The Italian-American Society will turn out strong.

The members of Christ Church parish are requested to assemble at the Parish House at 3 p. m. The Third Battalion Band has been engaged by the parish to lead them.

The Ladies of the local Chapter of the Red Cross will prepare a turkey supper for the boys, which will be served at the High School auditorium. Following the supper addresses will be made by Hon. Thomas J. Scully and other speakers of prominence. The boys will certainly be pleased to have "Tom," with them on such an important occasion.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES AT SACRED HEART SCHOOL

The commencement exercises of Sacred Heart school were held Wednesday in the parish hall. A large number of friends and relatives witnessed the splendid performance of the school children many of whom showed rare talent. Through the untiring efforts of the Sisters a fine program was arranged and the audience was well pleased with it.

After the exercises Father Strenski delivered an address and presented the graduates with diplomas. The graduates are Martin Madura, Simon Szarejko, Mary Lytkowska, Stella Lagoda, John Walczak, Felix Andziejewski and Andrew Skarzynski.

The following program was rendered: Recitation—Mary Lytkowska The Little Housekeepers, Sketch—Josephine Zrebiec, Loretta Kubisiak, Celia Witkowska, Helen Skarzynska, The Dentist, Sketch—John Kabowski, Francis Andryzewski Daddy's Return, Sketch—Boys and Girls Swing Cradle Swing, Pantomime—Girls Colonial Dance, Drill—Girls Adam and Eve, Sketch—Stella Lagoda, Simon Szarejko, Andrew Skarzynski What Shall I Be?—Boys Victory Sketch—Boys and Girls The Star Spangled Banner, Pantomime—Girls Valedictory—Stella Lagoda Address and presentation of diplomas—Rev. A. B. Strenski After the exercises dancing was enjoyed.

A NEW SERVICE WORKER.

Mr. Joseph Hayes Chandler of New York will take up the War Camp Community Service Work so successfully carried on for several months by Miss Buttenheim and Miss Sayre, on July 1. Mr. Chandler has been years in similar work, and hopes to make this service work in this city of great benefit and profit to the entire community, and especially to those boys who have served their country so well. Let us extend to him a hearty welcome to this city, and make him feel that he has fallen among friends. He has rented the residence of Prof. O. O. Barr for the summer.

Terra Cotta Co. to Re-open Tuesday.
It is expected that the South Amboy Terra Cotta Company will resume manufacturing on July 1 with a small force of men, which will be added to as business increases. M. J. Nagle will have charge as superintendent.

Street dancing will be held on Broadway and a carnival of rejoicing will be in order. Judging from the supply of confetti and noise makers the merchants have laid in stock it is almost certain there is going to be "some time" on Broadway. A handsome banner has been erected by the committee on Broadway at David street.

The formation of line for the Victory Parade will be as follows:

Grand Marshal
Police Escort
Welcome Home Committee
City Council
G. A. R.
Morrisey's Band
Service Men
(Form on John street between Stevens avenue and Broadway)
Boy Scouts of city
Company F Third Battalion, N. J. S. M.

Band
St. Mary's Parish and School Children
(Form on John street from Stevens avenue to Pine avenue)

Third Battalion Band
Episcopal Church Parish and Public Schools
(Form on Henry street at Stevens avenue to Broadway)

Band
Sacred Heart Parish and Children of School
(Form on Henry street between Stevens and Pine avenues.)

Drum Corps
Brotherhood of R. R. Trainmen
Italian-American Society
Band
Other City Organizations
Lodges and Societies

OLD HOME DAY COMMITTEE TO RUSH PREPARATIONS

On Monday night, June 30th, every member of the former Old Home Day Celebration committee, as well as all others who are interested, are requested to meet at the City Hall at eight o'clock, where an important meeting of this committee will be held.

On account of probably interfering with the plans of the Welcome Home Celebration committee, who are arranging to give the returned heroes of this city, a welcome that will long be remembered, the Old Home Day committee has hesitated about pushing their plans; but with the Welcome Home Celebration over, the committee feels that with a little hustling their plans can be carried out.

At the meeting on last Monday night, the committee was informed that the Third Battalion Band of this city has been secured to furnish music for the festivities on both days, August 8 and 9. The printing of the stationery is being taken care of, and with the various chairmen appointed for the particular committee, including Baby Parade, Athletics, Reception, Victory Parade, Publicity, Lighting, Building, Music, etc., the executive committee expects to meet no hitch when they resume their active meetings which will now follow.

The queen, Miss Alice Gunkel, will be notified that she will be expected to be in readiness for whatever the committee decides to do, in order that proper and due honor be accorded her, for the efforts that she so willingly put forth in 1916, when the celebration was called off on account of the paralysis.

No Light Nor Power.

Our out-of-town subscribers were no doubt later than ever receiving their Citizens of last issue. This was no fault of ours, and even the postal department is exempt this time. The cause was due to the Monmouth Lighting Company failing to supply either light or power. Just as we were reaching the goal Friday afternoon, off went the electrical current, and it was 2 o'clock Saturday morning before we could proceed with getting out our out-of-town mail.

Thomas Chapman and Clarence Hemstreet have secured positions with the Standard Oil Company at Bayway.

NEW TRUST COMPANY OPENS ITS DOORS ON TUESDAY NEXT

The South Amboy Trust Company long anticipated and long wished for now makes its bow to the people of South Amboy and vicinity.

The bank is practically 100% local, 167 of the townspeople and those in the immediate vicinity having subscribed for stock. There are 1,000 shares of the par value of \$100 each but which have been sold at \$125 making a fund for surplus and expenditures without resorting to the capital. Within a week after subscriptions were opened 1200 shares had been subscribed being 200 shares in excess of the charter allowance.

It was therefore necessary to pare the subscriptions in order to bring the same within the number of shares permitted. The incorporators have been working industriously for the past sixty days or more endeavoring to complete the manifold details preparatory to the opening, which will be July 1. All this has now been accomplished and as required by law the incorporators have chosen officers and directors to serve until the regular annual meeting of the stockholders which will be on the second Tuesday in January.

The officers and directors are as follows:

Officers—President, Donald W. Reed; First Vice-President, John A. Coan; Second Vice-President, William S. Day; Third Vice-President, Charles L. Steuerwald; Secretary-Treasurer, Harold G. Hoffman.

Directors—Robert Segrave, P. F. Kenah, D. W. Reed, Max Kaufman, Charles L. Steuerwald, A. J. Miller, Leonard Furman, William S. Day, Herman Ellis and Harry Conrad.

The Parish building at the corner of Broadway and Augusta street has been selected as the banking house.

A corps of working men has been busily employed for sometime past refitting and remodeling the building and when the alterations are finished it will be as modern and complete a banking house as can be found in New Jersey.

The management of the bank invites the public of South Amboy and the vicinity to visit the new institution, inspect the same and to make this bank their bank.

No bank in the vicinity will yield better inducements or treat those doing business with the institution more courteous or kindly.

KABOSKY—KWILINSKI.

Miss Helen Kwilinski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kwilinski, and Frank S. Kabosky of this city, were united in marriage at nine o'clock on Wednesday morning at the Sacred Heart Church by Rev. A. B. Strenski. Following the marriage ceremony solemn high nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Strenski, with Rev. Joseph Losienicki of Wilkesbarre, Pa., a cousin of the bride, as deacon, and Rev. Aloysius Novak of Hazleton, Pa., as sub-deacon.

The bride was becomingly attired in a white georgette dress and carried a beautiful bridal shower bouquet of white roses and lilies. Miss Anna Kwilinski, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She was also attired in a gown of white georgette and carried a bouquet of tea roses. The attendant to the groom was Leo Kabosky, a brother of the groom.

After the ceremony an excellent wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, at which friends and relatives of the immediate families were present. The guests were from Dunkirk, N. Y., Brooklyn, Wilkesbarre, Pa., and Hazleton, Pa., South Beach, Conn., Perth Amboy, South River, Sayreville, Helmetta, and this city.

The happy couple departed on the 4.58 train for their wedding trip through New York State and parts of Pennsylvania. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Kabosky will make their home on Washington Road, Parlin. The groom is employed by the du Pont Company at Parlin.

NOTICE TO COMPANY MEN.

The new uniforms have arrived. Report to Supply Sergeant before Saturday noon. No new equipment will be issued after 1.30 p. m. on Saturday.

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Captain.
LEWIS J. HASSLACHER,
Supply Officer.

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FOUR GRADUATES FROM ST. MARY'S

Commencement Exercises Held in School Hall Tuesday Evening—Fine Program Rendered Before a Large Audience—Address by Right Reverend Monsignor Fox.

On Tuesday evening the commencement exercises of St. Mary's School were held in the school hall. The hall was splendidly decorated and the new seats added attractiveness to the surroundings. The stage settings were beautifully and admirably arranged.

The graduates were Rose Callista McNeal, Mary Alice Dewan, Mabel Agnes Watts and Gertrude Regina Mullane.

When the hour for opening the programme arrived, there was a large audience present, evincing the great interest parents and friends maintained in the work of the Sisters in charge of the school. When the curtain lifted, the handsome costuming of the children was a striking feature, and showed that the parents had taken great pride and devoted much labor in the preparation of the little ones for their part in the program.

"Joan of Arc," a drama, was admirably presented and each member of the cast rendered their parts most creditably. The "Famous Baby Show," of which John Dwyer was the Judge, proved a pleasing feature.

Miss Rose McNeal cleverly rendered the Valedictory reflecting credit on herself and instructors.

Rt. Rev. Monsignor Fox of Trenton gave the address of the evening and presented much good advice to the graduates.

As a whole the programme proved very entertaining and afforded much pleasure to the large audience present. The program was as follows:

Program.
Song—"Better be Good"... Little Ones
Tribute to K. of C. Boy Scouts
Drama—"Joan of Arc"
Characters:

Joan Mary Dewan
Madame D'Arc, her mother
..... Rose McNeal
Village Girls of Domremy, Daisy Dance
St. Michael John Dooling
St. Margaret Mabel Watts
St. Catherine Anna Malloy
Angels Anna Jacobs, Anna Thompson
Marie d'Anjou, wife of Charles VII.
..... Gertrude Mullane
Charles VII. John Cooney
Courtiers John Conroy, Lawrence
Trinley, John Ryan, Joseph Kress
Ladies in Waiting
..... Mary Duggan, Frances Barrett
Scribe John Delaney
Judges Thomas Meacham, John Fitzmorris
Guards, Executioners
Patriotic Fantasy Girls

Tambourine Dance Girls
Orchestra
Recitation—"Erin's Awakening", Boys
Dance Irish Lassies
Song—"The Navy Took Them Over"
..... Boys
Victory Dance Girls
"Famous Baby Show"
Judge John Dwyer
Orchestra

Conferring of Graduating Honors
Valedictory Miss Rose McNeal
Address—Rt. Rev. Monsignor Fox
March Orchestra
Accompanist—Mrs. William Stephenson

ATTENTION, SOLDIER BOYS.

All men of this city who have been discharged or are still in the service are requested to meet at St. Mary's lawn at 3 o'clock Saturday, June 28, in order to join in the Welcome Home Celebration. The committee hope they will turn out strong, as the local chapter of the Red Cross is preparing a grand feed for the boys, and appreciation of the work of the ladies could not be better shown than by a large attendance.

Harold G. Hoffman,
Lieut. John Conlogue,
James Cantlon.

TO ADVERTISERS AND OTHERS.

Notice is hereby given to advertisers, correspondents, writers of church notes, etc., that it is the intention of the Citizen to go to press on Thursday, July 3, in order to give employees an opportunity to join in the celebration of the Fourth of July, therefore it is requested that copy be sent in a day earlier than usual that week—Adv.

Prime Rib Roast, 25c and 28c, at Monaghan's Meat Market.

What Did You Bring Back From France?

We know you brought along souvenirs to be given the place of honor in the household, but what about European style ideas? What about the waist effects and straight-up shoulders you noticed abroad in the jackets of officers? Haven't you brought back some style ideas and a great desire to wear clothes which have a bit—a correct bit—of the military atmosphere about them?

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MISS PARISEN BECOMES BRIDE OF LIEUT. MARSHALL

At four o'clock on Wednesday afternoon Miss Ellen Riddle Parisen, daughter of Mrs. and the late Mr. Alan Gourey Parisen of 303 Pine avenue, was united in marriage to Lieut. William George Marshall, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Marshall of Chicago, Ill.

The ceremony took place at the home of the bride, the Rev. Henry Clay Mitchell, rector of Christ Church, officiating. The wedding march was performed on the piano by the bride's cousin, Miss Marjorie Davis, who is a first-class yeoman in the Navy stationed at Washington, D. C. Miss Marjorie Kerr served as bridesmaid, and Lieut. Charles F. Clarke of Boston, Mass., was attendant to the groom. The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of white satin with silver lace, and carried the same lace handkerchief that the groom's mother and grandmother did at their weddings. The bridesmaid wore a gown of white georgette and carried pale pink roses.

The house decorations were roses beautifully arranged by Florist Stuart, interspersed with American flags. After the ceremony supper was served by Mrs. Ivor Larson, caterer of Perth Amboy. The bride cut the wedding cake with a carving knife that was once owned by her great-great-grandfather. There were many guests present among them being officers of the army and navy, representing about two-thirds of the States in the Union. The bride was also happy to have present at the wedding her great-aunt, Mrs. Nelson B. Lyon, of Port Richmond, S. I., who is in her eighty-fourth year.

A number of handsome gifts were received by the bride. As the happy couple left for a trip to Cincinnati they received a lively shower of rice and old shoes.

Miss Parisen is one of the popular young ladies of this city, and a graduate from the Mary Baldwin Seminary, of Staunton, Va.

"CARRY ON."

(By Joseph Hayes Chandler)
Being elsewhere in the columns of this paper properly introduced, I crave the privilege of a few personal words in answer to a question put to me so frequently in private conversation that I may safely assume that it is a matter of public interest. The ques-

tion is this: "What do you plan to do, when on July 1, you become the War Camp Community Service representative, in South Amboy?"

"Carry On"—that is the pith and substance of my answer.

I count myself most fortunate in being permitted to follow in a work finely initiated by Miss Bittenheim and Miss Sayre. But this work is by no means finished. It is up to their successor to carry on from objectives achieved to the next point of vantage and of need.

Change of headquarters from Broadway to the soldier boys' Club House on David street, involves no change in administrative policy or in the personnel of the local committees in whom permanent leadership resides. The Community Service representative is not to be head "boss." He simply aspires to be a helping hand in any movement for Community betterment where his service is welcome.

Shortly before he settles down to business there is to be a Welcome Home Day in South Amboy, with our soldier boys at the center. The citizens of South Amboy will honor them by word and deed and give them of our best in appreciative expressions.

From this day of formal welcome as a starting point, it is the business of the community to "carry on." "Fine words butter no parsnips." Our returned boys care little for compliments. What they want is a chance to get down to work at a good job. They did not hunt their finished job overseas. It hunted them and kept them at it until the war business was finished. No returning soldier should have to hunt for a chance to get back to work. It is the business of the community to so organize the forces for demobilization that the "Welcome Home" will carry with it a welcome job.

This ought not simply to be as good as the job the boy left, when he went to camp a year or two ago. Because, barring exceptions which prove the rule, the military experiences has mightily bettered our boys, they deserve better places in industrial life than they left when they donned the khaki.

The boys will listen to what the community has to say through the representative citizens on "Welcome Home Day." But more for the public zeal will be accomplished when we "carry on" the conversation and let the boys do the talking and the rest of us the listening. Many things were done far better "over there" than we have been doing them, meantime, over here. For instance, camp life overcame marvellously the social diseases of sectarianism in religion and snobbery and caste in social intercourse. There was heat enough in the melting pot around the camp fire to make all kinds of Americans friends and brothers. We have tried to "keep the home fires burning," but not burning hotly enough to melt away the social barriers of actual prejudice and class and clique aloofness. Somewhere in every community our soldier boys should have a social center where they can keep the Camp Fires Burning. Such a center we are now opening in the Soldiers' Club House on David street. It affords a center where to some extent the community may "carry on" the kind of things they have directly and indirectly been doing for the boys in khaki. But what is of more significance, it will be a home base where the boys who have fought for a great human ideal over there may "carry on" the crusade to beneficent conclusions in the city of South Amboy. In backing up our boys in the great crusade for a new order in the international relationship expressive of the Christian ideal of world-wide human brotherhood, we who have been behind the lines have all been made better men and women, in proportion as we have shared in the science and sacrifice. In now backing up our boys to "carry on" brotherly and democratic ideals into practical application in the little world of our local community life, we shall take the most direct way to realize our civic ambition to make of our good town, South Amboy, one of the best there is anywhere. In so doing we, who have gained through war service enlarged and enriched personality, "may rise on stepping stones of our dead selves to higher things."

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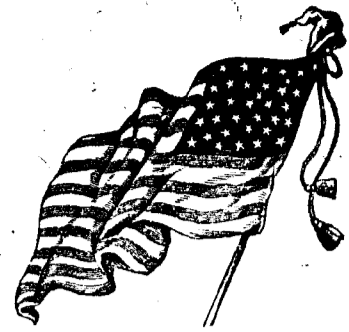
UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

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J. Perry, Thomas Payne, Alfonso Beatrice, William Watkins, T. A. Wright, Frank Vetter, Andrew Ramy, Mrs. Weld, Otto Dressler, George A. Bollinger.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office in 30 days. When calling for the above letters please say "Advertised." J. W. REA, P. M.

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To the brave boys of South Amboy who served our country we extend our hand and wish them a hearty

Welcome Home

and may the parents of those "who have died" riously on the field of battle have the consolation that may be found in the thanks of the republic they died to save, and the solemn pride that must be theirs, to have laid so costly a sacrifice upon the altar of freedom."

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Thursday, July 3

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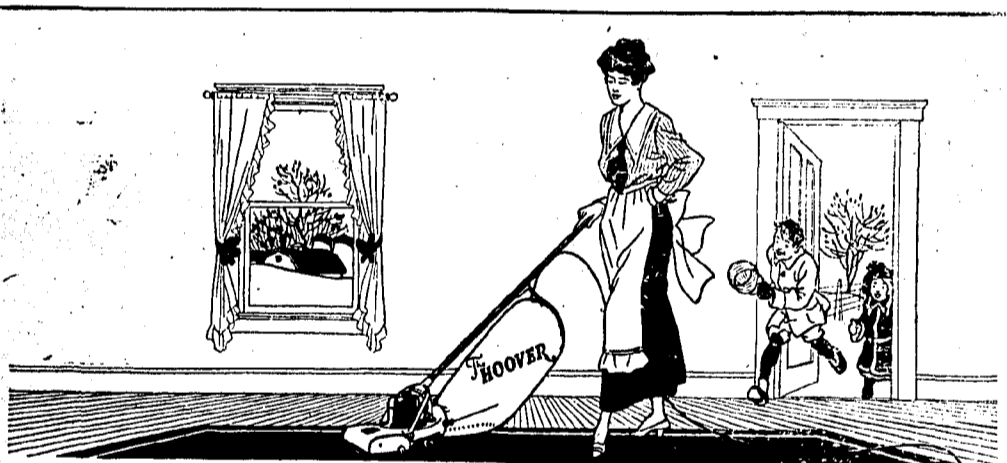
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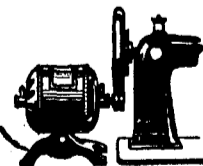
You Also Can



Toast Electrically

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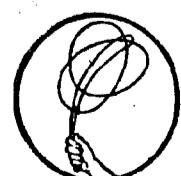
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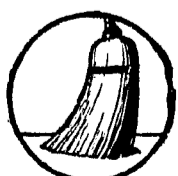


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TIMELY TIPS FOR GARDENERS.

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Late Cabbage.

Plants for late cabbage may be set out June 20. Allow the same distance for early cabbages and crop growing. Store any for winter use by burying in the ground. By the way, why not write for Extension Bulletin 12, "Winter Storage of Vegetables for the Home" and learn how best to take care of your fall crop when you finally harvest it?

Late celery plants should be put in about July 1. Set them in rows which are 3 feet apart, allowing 6 inches between plants in the rows. Celery is a strong feeder and requires lots of fertilizer or even better, manure. It should not grow too fast if it is to store well in the trench.

Late Carrots and Parsnips.

Carrots taste good enough now, but think how much better when the snow flies. Late carrots should be planted now in rows 15 inches apart. Later than until there is 2 inches between plants. Late beet seed should go into the ground now. Even if there isn't room for the mature plants now, plant the seed and transplant later when there is more room.

Parsnip seed planted now on a rich soil will make an excellent growth and will retain the sweet flavor lost when the roots grow large, tough and woody.

Rhubarb and Asparagus.

Rhubarb should not be harvested after this month as they need the time to gather strength for the next year's crop. A heavy application of fertilizer or a good one of fresh manure if raked into the soil now will pay well.

Kill the Bug and Save the Crop.

If you are troubled with insects and disease and know no effective remedy, consult your county agent or garden leader, or write the New Jersey Agricultural College at New Brunswick.

Issued by the New Jersey State College of Agriculture, June 16, 1919.

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH NEWS

Sunday School 9.30 a. m. Preaching 10.30 a. m.

Song service 7.30 p. m. followed by a preaching service.

Thursday evening 7 o'clock Young People's class. Epworth League and prayer meeting 7.45 Thursday evening.

Next Sunday morning will be the regular communion service.

Arrangements have all been made for our annual picnic to Asbury Park on Tuesday, August 19th. Do not forget the date.

Friday evening, July 4th, is the time for the regular monthly meeting of the official board. This being a holiday the meeting will be held on Thursday evening, July 3, at the close of prayer meeting. A full attendance of the members of the board is desired.

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**PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH NEWS**

The open-air services, which begin on the first Sabbath evening of July, and continue throughout the Sabbath evenings of next month, will begin promptly at 7.30 and close promptly at 8.30 p. m. each Sunday night—positively one hour, and that hour amid the most pleasant surroundings. Now, men, who have made all kinds of excuses for not attending divine services—we are bringing the services out to you—we are making the conditions as near ideal as it is possible to make them. If you will permit the term, we are "calling the bluff" of the mere excuse-maker. Let us see, now, if these people who have given "reasons" for non-attendance will attend public worship, when all conditions made by them have been met.

If there is any word of welcome and greeting that we could use to make you feel that this service is for you, consider that that word has been spoken; that you are most heartily and cordially welcomed to this hour of worship with us; make yourself comfortably at home on our lawn or in the chairs provided, and we shall do our utmost to make these services spiritually profitable to you. Invite a friend, and bring him!—or her!

If all the plans and preparations for a good time at our annual outing, (to take place on Wednesday, July 15th, at Asbury Park), are carried through, this is bound to be the best ever conducted by any organization we have ever known of. Surely, we shall try to make it a day of real enjoyment and recreation to all who go with us, and you will be minus a whole day from your life that should be in it, if you fail to "report on time" for the morning train that day. Get the spirit! Get a ticket: Adults \$1; Children between ages 6 to 12 50 cents; Children under 6 years of age free. That includes every member of every family, either members or non-members of Church and Sabbath School; and that's just how many we desire shall accompany us.

Prayer Meetings and Mid-Week Bible Study services are now omitted for the months of July and August. Let us make a suggestion! Take those little leaflets which we have been using in our study of the Miracles of Jesus, and read again, one incident each Wednesday evening, the miracles we have already studied—His Nature Miracles—according to the references there given. The meditations thus revived will compensate greatly for the loss of these mid-week studies. Also, it will be a fitting introduction to His Healing Miracles, which we shall take up when we resume these studies in the fall.

All the reading matter on the literature table in the vestibule of the church is for free distribution. Help yourself! This is one of the educational methods we shall adopt under the New Era system, together with educational sermons at stated times during the church year. You will remember, no special collections are taken for the work of the Boards of our church under this new system; but all these matters are to be contained within the budget which we adopted last April. Any who feel able to raise their subscriptions, so that we may the more nearly approximate this budget, will kindly speak to the Church Treasurer about it, or drop a note upon the offering plates.

The Welcome Home Committee of the city of South Amboy desires that the men of the city show their appreciation to the boys who have just returned from over-seas, and from the camps in our own country, by a great parade on the afternoon of Saturday, the 28th, at 4 o'clock. The men of this church expect to line up with the other evangelical bodies and march in this parade. For this purpose, the men of the church are asked to gather at the Manse, and go in a body to the meeting place of the other churches, and join in one mighty demonstration.

Appropriate to the coming Independence Day, the sermon for next Sabbath morning will be "A Land of Giants." The evening subject will be: "And it Was Night."

The first Sabbath morning of July we shall celebrate the Communion service of the Lord's Supper. A short Pre-Communion service will be held on next Wednesday evening, July 2nd. The subject for our thought on that evening: "In Remembrance of Me." The service will be at 7.45, and the Communion service on July 6th at 11 a. m.

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PUBLIC HEARING.

PURSUANT TO A RESOLUTION of the Common Council of the City of South Amboy, County of Middlesex and State of New Jersey, Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Tuesday, July 8, 1919, at 8 o'clock p. m., at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on "An Ordinance providing for the issuance of \$225,000 water bonds of the City of South Amboy," and at which time objections will be heard. Said ordinance reads as follows:

An ordinance providing for the issuance of \$225,000 Water Bonds of the City of South Amboy. Be it ordained by the common council of the City of South Amboy: Section 1. That for the purpose of paying for the construction of a pumping station, reservoir and force main to the stand pipe, being additions to the existing water supply system of the City of South Amboy, it is necessary to raise the sum of Two hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$225,000).

Section 2. That there be issued, pursuant to Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended, bonds of the City of South Amboy, to be known as Water Bonds, in the amount of Two hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$225,000), which bonds shall be dated August 1st, 1919, shall bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of February and the first day of August, in each year, shall be in the denomination of \$1,000, numbered from 1 to 225, both inclusive, and shall mature in numerical order, five bonds on the first day of August of each of the years 1921 to 1923, both inclusive, and six bonds on the first day of August of each of the years 1930 to 1935, both inclusive.

Section 3. The said bonds shall be in such form and payable, principal and interest, in such medium and at such place as may be provided by resolution of the Common Council, shall be signed by the mayor and treasurer and attested by the city clerk under the seal of the city, and if coupons for the payment of interest be attached, they shall be executed by the facsimile signature of the city treasurer.

Section 4. The Common Council of the City of South Amboy hereby determines and declares that the probable period of usefulness of the said additions to the existing water supply system referred to in Section 1 hereof, is forty years.

Section 5. That there be levied in each year, while any of said bonds shall be outstanding, in the same manner, and at the same time as other taxes, a tax upon all the taxable property of said city, sufficient to produce the amount of principal and interest to mature in the succeeding year, provided that such levy be reduced in any year by any amounts actually applied to such principal and interest out of the earnings of the water works system for said year.

Section 6. That said bonds shall be sold on sealed proposals after due advertisement by the City Treasurer, who shall have power to fix the date of sale, to select the newspaper and financial paper in which the notice of sale shall be published, to prescribe the form of notice, and to award the bonds or to reject any or all bids therefor.

Section 7. This ordinance shall take effect upon its publication as provided by Section 2 of Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended, and the City Clerk shall have power to select the newspaper in which it shall be published and to specify the date after which the bonds shall be issued and delivered.

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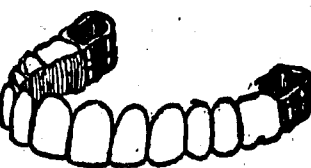
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APPROPRIATIONS FOR
SOLDIERS' PAY CUT

Washington, D. C.—The Republican pruning knife promises to get its users into trouble by unjustifiable reductions of estimates for the Army, the Navy and the railroads. Arbitrary totals are fixed by the partisan "steering committee" of the House, which is trying to make a record in slashing for the purposes of the next campaign. While wasting money on themselves Republican Congressmen are unsparing in their curtailment of appropriations for the Government. Within the last few days they have cut nearly one billion dollars from three important supply bills. This was done over the protests of administration officials. Democrats believe that the Republicans are playing politics at the expense of the Government, in spite of their promise not to trifle with appropriation measures.

Here are the reductions:
Railroads—From \$1,200,000,000 to \$750,000,000; net decrease, \$450,000,000.
Army—From \$1,117,289,488 to \$809,197,000; net decrease, \$308,092,488.
Navy—From \$824,708,521 (as reported by the Senate Committee) to \$598,068,764; net decrease, \$226,639,757.
The decreases aggregate \$384,132,245.
The grand total of the three bills as they were left last Congress is \$3,100,000,000. The grand total, as they have been passed or reported to the House is \$2,100,000,000. The "steering committee" ordered a cut of one-third. This order has been obeyed.
In reducing the Army Bill the Republicans seized upon the three items of utmost concern just now to the soldiers and their families. Unless the Senate heals the trouble there may be delay in transportation of soldiers to their homes and in providing them with pay and subsistence. The bill reduces pay \$67,000,000; transportation, \$207,000,000; and subsistence, \$30,000,000. These items had already been decreased by the officials of the War Department.

The reductions in the naval appropriations were made in construction, size of the navy, air service, and in ordnance. These items had been cut to the bone by Secretary Daniels and those under him, in the belief that the Republicans would sustain their needs.

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Helen's Gift

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

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Helen realized when it was far too late that she had been entirely to blame in her quarrel with Hillary. She had been small and selfish and altogether unworthy the great love she had deliberately thrown away.

When Hillary had first signified his intentions of joining up with the British forces before his own country had gone in to fight, Helen had not even taken him seriously. Sitting back surrounded by every luxury and comfort that a human being could want, it was difficult for Helen to appreciate the fact that thousands of men were giving their lives that women such as she might live. It was all so far away and would soon be over. There was no reason on earth why her Hillary should go over and fling his life away for some other country when he was engaged to her and she loved him.

But Hillary was not the kind of man who could sit back while brother men were bleeding and dying and suffering for civilization and not offer to help them. Neither was he the kind of man to be guided by the whims of any woman, even though he loved her with all his great big heart.

And the Helen whom she had seemed to be well worth any man's love. She was beautiful from her exquisitely poised head to the aristocratic arch of her dainty feet. Her shoulders and neck were famous for the exquisite texture of the skin, and her arms were just the fairest example of the Great Sculptor. Helen in evening dress was the envy of all women and the unbounded admiration of all men. Hillary often told Helen that he fell in love with her arms before he even looked at her face.

And now that big love affair of the social year had been smashed into the dust. Hillary had sailed off to join the British flying corps a free man to the world, but knowing that so long as he lived he would always love Helen—always want her.

All that had been two long years ago. Much happened to the world and a great deal to one human atom that was Helen Travis.

She had been stunned at first by the loss of Hillary, but had bravely faced the situation and in a way from the very start blamed herself, although feeling that she had been very much abused.

She had told Hillary that there were plenty of men to fight before he need go and that life would mean nothing to her when he was so far away. But Hillary wanted to be among the first and so he had gone with no word behind him. The engagement was broken and Helen had said finally that she never wanted to see him again. The smart had hurt—hurt terribly.

When the war came closer and clawed at America's gates, eating deeper and deeper into the heart of the country and taking away the finest of the lads, and the finest of the women were working with teeth set, Helen began to see things in another light.

In her heart she knew she could not have loved Hillary had he not gone, even though he had joined before America entered. She knew now that all men should have gone and that the war would have been over the sooner and that less homes would have been robbed of their dearest treasures had more men been made of the fine metal that molded Hillary.

Helen had quickly prepared herself for help among the wounded. She wished with all her heart she had taken a full course in nursing. She had spent an idle, useless life and now she could only sit by and watch other women don uniforms and sail away to fight beside the brave men.

However, Helen drove her own car in-laid of the hospitals and found much to employ her ready hands. Fine and strong she was and capable of unlimited hours that did not bring her the least atom of forgetfulness. There were not many men who compared with Hillary and Helen found out that in her own heart there remained a love far deeper than she ever dreamed herself capable of.

But Hillary might have "gone west" with other brave men. She had heard no word from him since the day they parted. How often, how very, very often, Helen blushed with shame at the small part she had played and how she longed to make reparation, only she herself knew.

She hoped if he had made the great sacrifice that he had forgiven her and that he had not suffered. To think of Hillary suffering, wracked by pain and tortured by a crushed or mutilated body, made life unbearable.

She tried by every means at her disposal to find out something about him. It was difficult, since she knew little or nothing about the royal flying corps and had no idea even as to which squadron he was attached.

It was the saddest and perhaps one of the happiest days of her life when Helen, through a newspaper item, discovered that Capt. Hillary James was in a hospital in Canada and that only a miracle in the way of surgery had saved his life.

He had crashed down in his machine while in combat with a boche plane. He was badly burned about the face and much skin grafting was necessary.

Helen Travis left no stone unturned, lest no time in making her way direct to Montreal and to the hospital where

Hillary lay with bandages over his dear eyes—eyes that might and might not see again.

She had had only one brief moment of terrible anguish when she had seen the man she loved lying so still, but she rallied and pleaded to be allowed to give as many inches of skin as were needed for Hillary's recovery.

That which Helen did she did in secret. In her heart she knew that Hillary would not consent to her sacrifice, if he so much as knew of her presence his protests would no doubt bring on a fatal fever.

When her skin was tested and found to be perfect Helen's joy was unbounded. She wanted to suffer; she wanted to feel just one-hundredth part of the same pain as that which Hillary was feeling.

Never had Helen loved him so much as when under the excruciating pain of having those inches of skin removed from the wonderfully smooth white arms. She smiled, knowing that the was perhaps to save Hillary's life.

"He must never know it," she kept repeating to herself as she had repeated time and again to the surgeons and nurses in charge of the case.

And Helen's will had ruled. There was not a moment during the painful process of skin grafting when Hillary had even suspected that it was a woman who had gloried in her sacrifice and given to him the skin from her lovely arms. She smiled, knowing that the large, ugly scars on his face and neck were healing wonderfully, and there was more than a chance that his eyesight was returning.

As he began week by week to take a more definite interest in life and his recovery Hillary questioned his nurses and doctors, but could get no satisfaction.

"It was a young lady who wanted to feel she had done her bit in the great war," they told her; "she had led a selfish useless life, and she pleaded so desperately to be allowed to do one good turn in her life that we let her make the sacrifice. She called it a great privilege."

And that was all Hillary could learn, even to the day when, weak and little like the big Hillary of prewar days, he traveled from the hospital to pick up the threads of New York life again. It was with no mild surprise that society watched the return of Helen Travis into evening clothes. At all the great functions given for heroes and to celebrate peace, Helen appeared in variously in gowns that even a proud might term overmodest. Those glorious arms that the feminine world envied and masculine adored were concealed beyond the hopes of men.

Whereas all womankind was reveling in creations that the breaking of a bead strap might bring disaster upon, Helen graced the ballrooms in her mannish garb, distinctive in its rarity.

"Which convent are you entering?" and "When do you get your seventh veil?" were some of the questions flung at her, and Helen clasped her secret close to her heart and laughed with them. The scars beneath her chiffons were far more precious than all the lovely gowns in the world.

And somehow from out the chaos of her life Hillary came back to a full realization of his love for Helen. An inward something told him that she was his—that nothing could rob him of a love such as theirs had once been. She had not realized his man's duty at the time of his leaving her. He would seek her and win her again.

Hillary had brought down five boche planes on the battlefield. He had attacked always without fear, for, after all, the worst would be physical death. But now, if he failed with Helen, it would be death to the soul—at least that is the way Hillary felt about it.

But when Helen looked up and saw Hillary standing before her, she just crumpled into his arms and cried—cried so that her body shook. Hillary's arms held her fiercely. He had no words and he was none too steady, as he soothed her.

In a gesture quite beyond her control Helen's hand went up and soft as rose petals her fingers crossed the cheeks and neck of the man she loved.

Something in the way her fingers lingered on the faint scars—or perhaps it was the tremendous inner radiance of love—told him. Whatever the flash, Hillary knew; knew that Helen had bound herself to him by ties greater than any he had forged. He knew, too, the agony she must have endured while the skin was being removed from her wonderful arms.

"I couldn't let anyone else be so dear a part of you," when later Hillary tried to find words to express his feelings she spoke through the glow of happiness that suffused them both, "now, could I?"

Corfu's Claim to Fame.

The island of Corfu claims a maritime history antedating that of Athens. According to tradition, this was the land of the Phaeacians, and here Ulysses landed in the course of his wanderings, and on this seashore that delightful story had its setting, which Homer tells, of how the hero received much-needed hospitality and kindness at the hands of Nausicaea, the daughter of King Alcinoos—perhaps the most beautiful episode in all the "Odyssey." Indeed, to this day two islands close to the shores of Corfu dispute the honor of being the ship of Ulysses turned into stone.

Tough Luck.

Mottersby—Poor old Gumper's birthday present from his wife isn't doing him any good.

Gaffer—What was it?

Mottersby—She gave him a lounging coat and from the time he gets home till he goes to bed she keeps him on the hop.

PUBLIC SERVICE GAS COMPANY TO FILE NEW GAS RATES

To Patrons of the Company:

Public Service Gas Company takes this means of informing its patrons that it is face to face with conditions which make it necessary for the company to increase its price for gas.

The expiration of a very favorable oil contract which must be renewed at a materially higher price level, together with other increased costs of production, leaves no other course open to the company.

This oil contract was entered into five years ago, before the European war was thought possible, when oil was plentiful and prices at their lowest ebb.

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Were it not that the company was in an exceptionally favorable position due to this long-term, low-priced oil contract, it could not have continued as long as it has selling gas at the present rates, even including the moderate war surcharge approved last year.

Costs have been going up in the gas business just as they have in every other business. Prices charged to gas consumers by Public Service Gas Company have not been increased in anything like the proportion that the cost of other commodities has increased. This is in large measure due to the foresight of the gas company in entering into the long-term oil contract above referred to, which, because of its low rate per gallon, enabled the company to make gas cheaper than it would have been possible for it to do if it had had to pay market prices for oil during the war period.

While the contract lasted the company's patrons were given the full benefit of the low oil price. With the contract expiring the company has been forced to make new terms. The war is ended, but the era of war prices is still with us. This applies not only to oil, but to all other supplies, to coal and to labor.

Every gas company in the State has found it necessary to increase its rates. A number of the companies have been forced to raise rates more than once within a year to keep pace with the increasing cost of production and distribution. Some of these companies are receiving \$1.05, \$1.85 and even as high as \$2.10 per thousand cubic feet of gas, with an extra meter service charge of twenty-five cents, or more, each month. And the sections of the State served by most of these other companies are entirely comparable with much of the territory served by Public Service Gas Company, as the latter supplies customers in 164 municipalities.

Public Service Gas Company is not seeking any such rates as those above quoted, reasonable as they may be. This company has based its new schedule of rates upon what the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, after a long and thorough investigation in the Passaic Gas Case, determined to be a just and reasonable rate; plus the actual provable increase in the cost of making and distributing gas that has taken place since that decision was rendered.

In the Passaic case a ninety-cent rate was fixed. It was accepted by the company and paid by consumers. It has been in effect some five years or more. To-day it costs about twenty-five cents more a thousand cubic feet to make and distribute gas than it did when the ninety-cent rate was declared to be just and reasonable.

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Public Service Gas Company,

By THOS. N. McCARTER,

President.

June 24, 1919.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THOMAS L. SMITH, EXECUTOR, of George Smith, deceased, by direction of the Surrogate of the County of Middlesex, hereby gives notice to the creditors of the said George Smith, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the estate of the said deceased, under oath or affirmation, within nine months from this date, or they will be forever barred of any action therefor against the said executor.

Dated May 28, 1919.
THOMAS L. SMITH, Executor.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—

All Bills Due to J. J. Scully Must be Paid At Once.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT all the book accounts of John J. Scully, who formerly carried on an undertaking business, have been placed in my hands for collection, and must be paid at once, at my office, 105 N. Broadway. Those owing bills to Mr. Scully are advised that by prompt payment the costs of suit in court will be saved. I trust that these bills will be paid promptly, and thus any unpleasantness will be avoided.

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Dated May 8, 1919.
A. ROBERT GORDON, Administrator.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED MAY take notice, that the Subscriber, Executors, etc., of Samuel Henry Parisen, Sr., deceased, intends to exhibit their final account to the Orphan's Court for the County of Middlesex, on Friday, the eleventh day of July, 1919, at 10 a. m., in the Term of April, 1919, for settlement and allowance; the same being first audited and stated by the Surrogate.

Dated May 28, 1919.
MARY A. SICKLES, WILLIAM HENRY PARISEN, Executors.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS CONCERNED WILL take notice, that all debts owing to the estate of L. F. Meinzer are now due and payable. Notice is further given that the proper and legal settlement of the Estate of L. F. Meinzer, deceased, will require the collection of all the above mentioned debts. Payment may be made at store corner Broadway and Bordentown avenue.

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St. Stephen's Lodge, No. 65, F. & A. M., meets at K. of P. Hall, first and third Mondays of each month (excepting July, August and holidays) at 7.30 p. m.

Joel Parker Council, No. 69, Jr. O. U. A. M., meets every Friday evening in Knights of Pythias Hall. Councilor, J. T. Dill; Recording Secretary, J. L. Applegate.

Good Samaritan Lodge, No. 52, K. of P., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at K. of P. Hall, corner of First and Stockton streets. Chancellor Commander, William A. Chapman; Keeper of Records and Seals, F. H. Chapman.

Janthe Council, No. 6, D. of F. Imp'd. Order of Red Men, meets every second and fourth Thursday of the month at 2.30 p. m., in K. of P. Hall, Pocahontas, Miss Pearl Coward; K. of R., Edith Newman.

Friendship Council, No. 16, D. of F., meets on alternate Fridays each month, at 2.30 p. m. in Pythias Hall, First and streets. Councilor, Lillian Blood; Recording Secretary, Mrs. A. Wain.

Seneca Tribe, No. 29, Imp'd. O. E. M., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in Knights of Pythias Hall, Sachem, S. N. Skow; Chief of Records, Andrew Kviest; Collector of Wampum, Stephen Miller.

General Morgan Lodge, No. 96, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at Knights of Pythias Hall, Noble Grand, Edgar C. Brower; Secretary, Charles P. Thomas; Financial Secretary, Sig. Emiliasen.

Paul DeGraw Hamilton Lodge, No. 552, B. of B. T., meets every second and fourth Sunday of each month at K. of P. Hall. President, Philip Purcell; Secretary, William Bulman; Treasurer, Thomas J. Kennedy; Agent of Official Publication, Edward Mc Donough.

Gorm Lodge, No. 84, D. E. regular meeting every Friday of each month at 8 p. m. in Pythias Hall, First street, President, J. S. Martensen; Secretary, A. L. Johnson; Financial Secretary, George Mortensen; Treasurer, John S. Lund.

South Amboy Lodge No. 1554, Loyal Order of Moose, meets at Welsh's Hall, 224 First street, at 8 o'clock p. m., on the second and fourth Monday of each month. Past Dictator, J. R. Downs; Dictator, A. C. Winant; Vice-Dictator, George L. Kress, Treasurer, J. J. Hanaway; Prelate, John D. Mullans; Secretary, James A. Minnick; Sergeant-at-arms, Edward Covell, Jr.; Inner Guard, John Falk; Outer Guard, C. H. Van Dusen; Trustees, M. J. Hussey, J. E. Rathbun, John Mullane.

Independence Engine & Hose Co. No. 1, meets third Monday in each month at 7.30 o'clock p. m. Foreman Charles Grover; President, John B. Woodward; Secretary, N. N. Pearce.

Italo American Citizens of South Amboy—Meets at Welsh's Hall, first and third Monday of month, at 8 p. m. President, Fred Tadescio; Recording Secretary, A. Quattrocchi; Financial Secretary, G. Spina.

Sterling Castle, No. 50, E. G. E., meets first and third Saturday evening of each month, at 7.30 o'clock at Knights of Pythias Hall. Noble Chief, Burden Golden; Master of Records, C. H. Edwards.

Court Raritan, No. 44, F. of A., meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, at 8 p. m. in Protection Hall. Chief Ranger, J. T. Doyle; Sub-Chief Ranger, P. Kosmoski; Financial Secretary, P. N. Banks; Treasurer, James Minnick; Recording Secretary, Martin Kane; Senior Woodward, Fritz Deiks; Junior Woodward, P. Malloy; Senior Beadle, Mr. Stultz; Junior Beadle, M. Lucitt; Trustees, N. Banks; Aaron Hyer, Sr.; L. Hartman.

Protection Engine Company meets on the fourth Thursday of each month at Engine House, Feituss street, at 7.30 p. m. President William Birmingham; Vice-President, Robert Segrave; Treasurer, Michael Welsh; Secretary, Frank D. Stanton; Foreman, James Nolan.

Star of Jersey Lodge, No. 484, B. of L. F. and E., meets in K. of P. Hall, first and third Sunday of each month at 2.30 p. m. A. V. Danser, President; L. D. Wortley, Financial Secretary and Treasurer; A. T. Hartshorne, Recording Secretary.

Washington Camp No. 56, P. O. of A., meets every second and Monday of the month in K. Hall corner First and Stockton at Elmer Wright, President; Elmer Coward, Master of Forms; John H. French, Financial Secretary; W. M. Anderson, Treasurer; M. E. Magee Recording Secretary.

Star Building and Loan Association of South Amboy, N. J., meets in C' Hall, on the fourth Monday evening in each month. President Thomas C. Gelsinon; Secretary, John J. Dalaney; Treasurer, John J. Coakley.

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Before Judge Daly and a jury in 3 court of quarter sessions at New Brunswick on Monday, John Goetz of this city was found not guilty of the charge of assault and battery on a 16 year old, of Perth.

Prosecutor Joseph E. Stricker of the State, and Leo J. of this city was counsel for

ODDS AND ENDS

Items of Interest Presented in Short Paragraphs for Busy Readers.

James K. Nugent of Newark has announced that he is a candidate for Governor on the Democratic ticket. Who next?

Frank Hoffman has his smokeshop beautifully decorated for Welcome Home Day.

Mrs. Shaw, wife of the Rev. J. E. Shaw of South River, was among a number of ladies who joined the Order of the Eastern Star at New Brunswick on Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Shaw of South River were visitors in this city on Tuesday evening.

Rev. G. W. McCombe attended the annual banquet of the Baraca's in Belleville, N. J., Thursday evening.

John French of Fourth street and Mrs. Mary A. Sickles of David street are having their homes wired for electricity by J. Lee Larew.

Thomas Dover and family of Perth Amboy are now occupying their bungalow at Morgan Beach, where they will remain for the summer.

A touring car owned by Samuel Kinstlinger of South River got balky on Sunday afternoon and continued to back from Stevens avenue until it struck the house of Capt. Salmon. The machine was not badly damaged, and the house did not budge a bit.

A shirtwaist factory will open in a few days in the Welsh building, corner of Broadway and First street.

The fire hydrant has been removed from corner of Main street and Broadway to Augusta street.

W. H. Parison, agent, has sold the stock and fixtures of the United Shoe Repairing Co., 103 N. Broadway, to an Old Bridge party.

Mr. Thomas Lingle of Perth Amboy was in town Sunday evening, and spent a social hour with Mr. Joseph Capner, of John street. He brought with him a large solar portrait of the late James White, who was an engineer of the C. & A. R. R., and requested Mr. Capner to present same to the Y. M. C. A. to be placed with the collection of locomotive prints he some time ago gave the Y.

Elias Force of Fourth street is now working at the plant of the Aeroplanes and Marine Company at Keyport.

The Myer Barber Co. are installing machinery in K. of P. Hall, preparatory to removing their plant from Gordon street.

Edgar Emmons has awarded a contract for a new house on Henry street, near Broadway. The excavation for the cellar has been finished.

It's coming! The outing of Baptist Sunday School to Highland Beach, where still water and ocean bathing can be enjoyed. The date is July 10, and excursion fare only 60 cents.

Dr. J. F. Weber visited friends in this city the fore part of the week. If a suitable house can be secured, Dr. Weber will probably locate in this city after his discharge from service.

Mr. Thomas L. Rhoades, manager of the local American Store, has been transferred to the American Store at Trenton, N. J. Mr. August Weller, his assistant, has resigned his position here, and has taken a better position with the James Butler Co. of New Brunswick.

A few W. C. C. S. "Welcome Home Jersey Boys!" posters are left. Who wants them for their cars? The Citizen will be glad to give them out as long as they last.

Mrs. Joseph Tice and daughter, Miss Anna Tice, left this city on Thursday to make their home at Pontiac, Mich., where Mr. Tice is employed.

The Empire Theatre was in hard luck, not on account of not having any patrons, but due to not having any electricity to run the moving picture machine. Friday night there was a large audience, but it had to be dismissed, resulting in a big loss to the management. Saturday afternoon the matinee crowd had to be dismissed for the same reason, with more loss. Mr. Dey, the owner, and Theodore Manduka, the manager, greatly regret that they were compelled to disappoint the audiences,

and they are seriously contemplating the installation of a plant of their own in the building, thereby preventing so many disappointments and heavy loss.

"America's Danger" will be the subject of an address by Mr. Samuel Con'e, at the Baptist Church Sunday evening. Mr. Con'e is a former United States Marshal and has dealt with criminals in all stages of the game. He will have something to say on the present industrial unrest; and the danger facing America by the "Reds" and other such organizations more or less related to the I. W. W. The seats are free.

On Wednesday Mr. William Wycokoff and Rev. G. W. McCombe attended the council called by the Baptist church at Atlantic Highlands to examine Mr. B. Davis' fitness in being set apart to the gospel ministry.

OPEN HOUSE ALL DAY.

Open house at W. C. C. S. all day Saturday. Punch bowl will be there to help make the welcome real. Make the Community Club your rendezvous.

Come one, come all to the Community Club, W. C. C. S., 256 David street on Welcome Home Day. A cordial invitation is extended to all South Amboy to come and inspect the new club where W. C. C. S. has joined forces with Company F.

A special invitation from W. C. C. S. is extended to all the returned soldiers, sailors or marines to come to the club and it is hoped that they will make it their second home where they can meet each other and bring their friends for a quiet chat or partake of light refreshments. The club has been continued for the special purpose of giving you boys some place to call your own so come on in and get acquainted with your club. A hearty welcome is waiting for you at all times. The punch bowl is prepared to fill your glass just as often as you will present it. Come on in and give the place "the once over"—you will return!

Pastor of Keyport Church Resigns.

Rev. J. C. French has resigned his pastorate of the Presbyterian Church at Keyport to accept a call at Carmichael, Penn., near Pittsburgh. Mr. French has been wishing for a long time to locate near his parents, who are advanced in years and live in Pittsburgh. When the opportunity presented Mr. French offered himself as a candidate and preached at Carmichael, when they were without a pastor. They offered him a call, which carries with it a church membership of 300 and a larger salary. On his return Mr. French resigned his charge at Keyport, and at a congregational meeting the church released him. Mr. French expects to move July 1.

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Babbitt's Cleanser, per box 4 1/2c
Grandma's Washing Powder, large 4 lb. package 17c
Can Lye, Lewis Brand, per can 12c
Cloride of Lime, large can 12c
Potted Meats, per can 5c and 10c
Mother's or Quaker Oatflakes, per pkg. 10c
Lusk's Mustard, per bottle 10c
Oil Sardines, per box 8c
Tryphosa or Lypton's Jello, all flavors, per package 8c
Dunham's Coconut, package 10c, 19c
Ohio Blue Tip Matches, box 5c
Colburn's Mustard, box 9c
Beech Nut Peanut Butter .. 10c, 20c, 30c
Eagle Baking Soda, 1/2 lb package ... 3c
Tomato Pulp, can 7c
Smoked Beef, sliced, glass 14c
Tetley's Tea, package 9c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, package 11c
Chow Chow, bottle 10c
Vanilla and Lemon Extracts, bottle .. 12c
Goff's Cough Syrup 23c
Armour's Corn Flakes, package 10c
Salt, bag 4c, 8c
Tuna Fish, white Rose, can 22c
Pickles, sweet or sour, bottle 10c
Hershey's Cocoa, box 9c, 17c
Cocoa, Manhattan, box 15c
Long Island Catsup, bottle 10c
Force, package 10c
Post Toasties, package 11c
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Soup Meat 15c lb	Best Lard 31c lb	
RUMP POT ROAST 22c lb.	RUMP OF VEAL 28c lb.	LAMB STEW 2 lbs 25c
Shoulder of Veal - 16 1/2c lb.	VEAL CHOPS 28c-32c lb.	
First Prize or Troco 32c lb	Liberty Cabbage 5c lb	Fresh Liver or Kidneys 2 lbs. 25c
Bologna 25c	Frankfurters 26c	
PORK LOINS 26 1/2 c lb Small Special	PORK CHOPS 32c lb Special	
Bacon, by the strip - 35c lb	Fresh Sausage, link or loose 25c lb	

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SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 1919.

COMMON COUNCIL AGREES TO FURNISH WATER FOR FOUNTAIN

Regular meeting of the Common Council was held at the City Hall on Tuesday evening. Present—Councilmen Delaney, Hackett, Kress, Shuey and Stanton; Clerk Coakley, Engineer McMichael, Solicitor Coakley, and Water Commissioner Braney.

Minutes of previous meeting were approved as read.

The clerk read a communication from City Solicitor Coakley stating he had made a search against the property recently purchased by the city from the Wesco Realty Company, and found that a mortgage of \$7,000 was on record against it. On motion of Mr. Delaney it was received and ordered filed.

A letter from the State Department of Institutions stated that an inspection had been made of the home for the poor, and that the home had been found in excellent condition. On motion of Mr. Delaney, it was received and filed.

On motion of Mr. Delaney the following bills were ordered paid:

E. I. du Pont de Nemours Co., water department	\$400 29
John J. Ryan	3053 00
Leo J. Coakley	10 00
Certified Auditing Company	3275 00
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George Mortenson	71 34
John F. Connors	9 00
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Andrew Anderson	16 57
U. S. Mortgage and Trust Co.	76 00
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Patrick McCabe	9 00
A. P. VanDusen	25 00
Traffic Sign & Signal Co.	25 00
John Connors	2 15
Gus Linden	4 00
Osman Bloodgood	3 00
Dominick Maddox	1 26
Labor, streets	109 81
Labor, garbage	78 63
L. J. Coakley	15 00
John White	25 80
Labor, water department	156 00
J. D. Johnson Co., Inc.	358 87
N. Y. Telephone Co.	1 70
J. A. Sexton	12 31
Walter E. Smith	10 00

Councilman Kress introduced an ordinance authorizing the issuing of \$225,000 in water bonds. It was laid over under the rules, for a public hearing on July 8.

On resolution by Councilman Delaney a general account note for \$1,000 was ordered renewed for one month.

Resolution by Mr. Delaney instructed the clerk to draw warrant for \$1,175 to pay interest on sewer bonds.

General account notes for \$3,500 and \$6,000 were ordered renewed for one month at five per cent; and one of \$4,500 for three months at five per cent.

On motion the building on end of city dock was awarded to Chris. Kelley, providing he remove same at his expense.

Councilman Hackett offered a resolution that whereas the W. C. T. U. had heretofore offered to erect a drinking fountain and maintain same at their own expense, and had obtained permission from the N. Y. & Long Branch Railroad Company to erect same on property approaching the station subject to thirty days removal notice, that permission be given the W. C. T. U. to erect same, and that the city furnish water for same free.

Mr. Shuey moved its adoption.

Mr. Kress asked if the fountain was for man and beast. Mr. Hackett replied that it was intended to supply both, and stated that at the present time there was no public place where either man or beast could get a drink of water, and application for same had to be made to private parties.

Mr. Kress thought the erection of the fountain should be presented to the board of health for their approval as to it being sanitary.

Mr. Kress applied for the City Solicitor's opinion in the matter, when he stated he could not see how the council could give any permission for the fountain on private property, and that the only grant that could be given was to furnish water.

Mr. Hackett thought the Board of Health could not have any authority in the matter until the fountain had been erected, and then it could be inspected and approved or disapproved.

City Engineer McMichael stated that horses often are diseased, and if allowed to drink from the same fountain might communicate the disease to other horses.

After considerable further discussion the resolution was amended to conform furnishing water free by adopted.

On motion of Mr. Kress Harry Parison was appointed special officer to apprehend hucksters peddling in the city without licenses.

Mr. Kress offered a motion, which was adopted, that a committee be appointed to circulate a petition in favor of the ship canal, and be presented to Assemblyman Devoe to aid his work toward the canal.

On motion of Mr. Kress all claims on the Tompkins Home property recently sold to the Raritan River Railroad were vacated.

Councilman Hackett asked if the company had provided a right of way to the shore front property as agreed, when the City Solicitor informed him that a twenty-five foot roadway from Bardentown avenue had been deeded to the city and that the same had been recorded.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL OPEN FOR INSPECTION TO-DAY

After the signing of the diplomas by President R. M. Mack and Secretary W. M. Simmons, in the office of Superintendent O. O. Barr on Wednesday night, the Board of Education took a short recess in order to go over to the new school where the first meeting of the board took place in the special room in that school for this purpose.

Those were present at the meeting: Messrs. Mack, Rue, Woodward, Coan, and Secretary W. M. Simmons, superintendent O. O. Barr, J. M. Voss, George B. Foley and Mr. Gagen of the firm of Gagen & Butler, contractors for the electric lighting in the new school.

The meeting was called to order by President Mack, but by motion the reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with. Communications were next in the order of business, and the secretary read a communication from Miss L. V. Rutan, who after teaching for the period of twenty-five years, is now resigning, the resignation to take effect at the close of the present school term. By motion of Mr. Coan, the communication was referred to the teachers' committee.

J. M. Voss, contractor for the building of the new school, in his communication to the board stated that the work of building concrete steps from the street to the school, at both entrances in John street, had been completed for the contract price of \$500, but stated that he had deducted \$55 for five steps which were not required, the actual price would be \$445. It was referred to the committee on buildings and grounds by motion of Mr. Coan.

At this meeting the time had been set by advertisement for the opening and receiving of sealed bids and proposals for the furnishing of the school supplies for the ensuing year. The firm of William G. Johnston & Co., set forth the figure of \$737.22, while J. L. Hammett of Brooklyn quoted the sum of \$701.01, or \$36.21 less. This city, terms sixty days net. These were the only bids received and by motion of Mr. Coan they were referred to the committee on books and supplies and the superintendent for tabulation.

The following bills were ordered paid by motion of Mr. Rue:

F. H. Gordon	\$208 00
Floyd Tompkins	30 00
J. M. Voss	7000 00
Monmouth Light Co.	1 00
N. Y. Telephone Co.	6 85
Frank Neer	10 90
P. S. Gas Co.	1 16
Phoenix Ins. Co.	189 75
Montalvo	10 25
Standard Fire Ins.	33 00
Dodd, Mead & Co.	6 30
K. Nichols	10 00
M. Delaney	10 00
Gimbel Bros.	12 00
Literary Digest	7 56
G. Mortenson	221 00
H. Wolf & Co.	15 00
E. S. Mason	7 00
Ames Rollinson	46 72
A. G. Spaulding	15 56
Straub Bros.	4 84

Mr. Rue as chairman of the committee on buildings and grounds reported that he is having the flag pole at School No. 2 repaired, as he thinks this pole is hollow and if it is will be strapped and put into first-class condition. He further reported that the concrete steps have been completed in front of the new school in a satisfactory manner. The report was received on motion of Mr. Coan.

Mr. Barr reported that everything is in readiness for the commencement to be held on Thursday night. The speaker Floyd Tompkins, D. D., has promised to be on hand, and the new auditorium will be thrown open for the first time on that night. The seats arrived on Monday and have all been put in their places, while the electric lights have been installed.

Mr. Coan in his motion moved that a meeting of the board be held on Wednesday night next, at the new school, for the purpose of closing up business for the fiscal school year.

Report of the trustee officer Thomas J. Gleason was read by the secretary, in which he stated that he had found no actual cases of truancy in his visits to the homes of the absent pupils, but all had good reasons. He also stated that the case of Mrs.

Charles Kamps, in regard to her not permitting her son to come to school on account of being called a "nuisance" by one of the teachers, that she report to the board in person stating her reasons. She appeared Wednesday night and the matter was settled, her son to commence school next fall again.

The report of the physical inspector, Dr. S. T. Kinney, was received in which he stated that there were at present six contagious diseases in the school, but otherwise reported the health and sanitary conditions of the school to be good. Both these reports were received and filed.

Some dispute it appears has arisen between the firm of Gagen & Butler, the electrical contractors, and Lowinson & Shubert, the architects. The architects claim that the work done by the electrical men is not as per contract and specifications. The matter was brought up Thursday night, but Mr. Coan thought that it was not the duty of the board to straighten this matter out with Gagen & Butler, that Mr. Lowinson was the person to whom it should be referred. He therefore made a motion that Mr. Lowinson be requested to be at the meeting of the board on next Wednesday night, when together with Mr. Gagen the difference could be settled.

Mr. Voss stated that the new school building is now practically completed, but offered a suggestion that a tablet of some description be placed in one of the corridors, with the names of the members of the Board of Education and date of erection, etc., to perpetuate the names of the members who were in power at the time of the erection of this building. He stated that he would donate a marble tablet of about twenty-eight by forty inches, but that the inscriptions would have to be placed on by the board, which would cost in the neighborhood of ninety or hundred dollars. Some members of the board felt that a tablet of some sort should be erected, but it was finally referred to the committee on buildings and grounds.

Mr. Barr's action in regard to permitting the Red Cross to serve a banquet to the returned soldiers in the auditorium on Saturday afternoon was sustained and made the action of the Board of Education also, by motion of Mr. Coan.

The Board of Education wishes to announce that the new school building will be open on Thursday, Friday nights and all day Saturday for inspection by the public, and they are respectfully invited to examine one of the finest school buildings in the county, which has just been completed.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

To Editor of Citizen:

Dear Sir—There is an impression in our city that the dance given at Morgan recently was under the auspices of the trustees of South Amboy Hospital Association. The impression is absolutely unfounded. This dance was given by a number of young ladies who have been entertaining the soldiers during the war and had no connection with the hospital association whatever.

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FINANCIAL REPORT AND AUDIT OF THE CITY OF SOUTH AMBOY, N. J., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1918.

In accordance with Chapter 268 of the Laws of 1918 I hereby publish "summary" of report of audit made of this municipality by the Certified Audit Company of America, Registered Municipal Accountants, New York City.

BALANCE SHEET	
Assets	
Current Cash—	
General and Water Cash..	\$10,029.24
Current Receivables—	
Water Arrears	11,465.38
Confirmed Assessments, (due from Taxpayers)	11,840.78
Confirmed Assessments, (due from City Property)	15,835.99
Property Tax Arrears	69,141.30
Poll Tax Arrears	2,872.00
	\$121,187.69
Property—	
Public Grounds & Buildings	\$74,520.00
Public Dock	6,000.00
Fire Apparatus and Equipment	14,350.00
Sanitary Sewers	100,000.00
Surface Sewers	19,000.00
City Team	250.00
Road Scraper and Tools	500.00
Water Works Plant	39,500.00
	\$375,308.25
Liabilities.	
Current—	
Temporary Loans	\$117,681.00
Due for Assessment (on City Property) (contract)	15,835.99
	\$133,516.99
Funded—	
Serial Bonds	209,000.00
Surplus	32,791.26
	\$375,308.25

The detailed report is open to any and all parties concerned at my office at the City Hall.

PETER J. COAKLEY, City Clerk.

Automobile Upsets at Morgan Beach.

About 6 o'clock last Saturday evening a big limousine containing a party from Harrison ran off the Morgan-Keyport road at a point between the creek bridge and Lawrence Harbor, and upset down the bank. The road was congested with travel at the time, and a machine following in attempting to pass struck the limousine and veered it around so that it went down the bank. Fortunately none in the car was seriously injured, but it was thought one of the occupants broke his arm. They were on their way to Keansburg to spend Sunday. After several hours' work the machine was righted and placed on the road again in a badly damaged condition.

Wm. H. Parison has sold for Mrs. M. E. Greene of Brooklyn, two lots on Agusta street to Angelo Quattrocci, who will erect a store and dwelling thereon.

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LUXITE SILK HOSE..... \$1.98		BOYS' ATHLETIC STYLE UNION SUITS.. \$1.15	
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LUXITE HOSE..... 40c and 59c		TENNIS SHOES AND OXFORDS, FOR MEN AND BOYS.	
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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

June 23, 1919.
To the Editor of South Amboy Citizen:
Please relate through the columns of your paper some interesting facts connected with the refusal of the Welcome Home Committee to engage the Third Battalion Band, N. J. S. M. for the June 23rd Celebration, notwithstanding the fact that this band has played on the following occasions without remuneration whatsoever:
Red Cross Meeting, Empire Theatre, December 16, 1917.
Third Liberty Loan, Armory, April 23, 1918.
Third Liberty Loan, Empire Theatre, April 25, 1918.
Lecture for Belgian Relief, Y. M. C. A. and Red Cross, Armory, May 1, 1918.
Service Flag raising for St. Mary's Parish, May 12, 1918.
Red Cross Parade, May 19, 1918.
Red Cross Parade, Perth Amboy, N. J., May 18, 1918.
Red Cross Concert, Parlin, N. J., May 19, 1918.
Thrift Stamp Parade and Meeting, St. Mary's Hall, July 11, 1918.
Red Cross Concert, Keyport, N. J., July 25, 1918.
Thrift Stamp Parade and Meeting, St. Mary's Hall, August 6, 1918.
Concert, City Hall for Ambulance Fund, September 15, 1918.
When it was requested of the band to parade for the Fifth Liberty Loan parade it was stated to Mr. Alfred Kerr that the members could not be taken from their regular work without being compensated for their loss. It was accordingly agreed that the band was to receive \$3.00 per man. When the bill for 23 men was rendered the following letter was received from Mr. Conn, chairman of Fifth Liberty Loan Committee:

May 1, 1919.
Mr. Alex Giaquinto,
John Street,
City.
My dear sir:—
I am in receipt of your bill under date of April 30th for services of twenty-three musicians at \$3.00 each, \$69.00.
This bill I presume is for services rendered at the time of the visit of the tanks. Some sixty men of South Amboy are devoting fully 50% of their time to the canvass of the Liberty Loan and have done likewise on the four previous loans. The local bank has handled all former subscriptions and is handling the subscription to this loan and neither the bank or any of the canvassers have received or been glad to do this as contribution to the World War. all by way of preface to the

statement that there is no money allowed to us for such services as hiring music and the only way in which the bill can be paid is either by popular subscription in the town or by sending the same to the Government, neither of which courses has ever been adopted in any of the Liberty Loan Campaigns in South Amboy.

It occurred to me that perhaps the Third Battalion Band will be very reluctant to have the government billed in their name for Liberty Loan service and would likewise be unwilling that public subscription be called to pay them for an afternoon devoted to such a purpose.

I shall wait to hear from you before taking any further action.
Yours truly,
(Signed) John A. Coan,
Chairman.

As Mr. Coan seemed to be misinformed we sent the following explanatory letter to him and to this date we have not been even favored with a reply:

South Amboy, N. J., May 22, 1919.
Mr. John A. Coan,
Chairman Liberty Loan Committee,
City.

Dear Sir:
Yours of May 1st, received and referred to band. The members are of the opinion that inasmuch as Mr. Alfred Kerr arranged with me to pay \$3.00 per man that he evidently knew funds were available for such purpose. The matter is up to him for adjustment and not the band. It was stated to Mr. Kerr when he asked for the band that the members for the most part were forced to leave their work and thus lose their wages. The amount asked for is not for services as much as for compensation for loss of work. The labor situation is much changed from what it was a short time ago.

Up to the present time the band has rendered its services freely in all war work notwithstanding the fact that fully 60% of the members are out-of-town men and disinterested as far as our city is concerned. On none of these occasions has the band received a letter of thanks from any of the committees in charge of such affairs.

We consider our bill fair and reasonable and would suggest that Mr. Kerr find the ways and means to secure its payment as he was fully acquainted with the circumstances.
ALEX GIAQUINTO,
Bandmaster.

We back up all statements of above letter but believe that the Welcome Home Committee has been prejudiced by being misinformed as to the facts, therefore we ask that they be placed before the thinking public.
Yours truly,
ALEX GIAQUINTO,
Bandmaster.
F. C. HOFFMAN,
First Sergeant.

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GROWING NEED FOR PIER CONSTRUCTION

The growing need for ideal pier construction and equipment, giving it the best possible machinery for loading and unloading vessels, will very likely be furnished in the plans now under consideration by the New York, New Jersey Port and Harbor Development Commission.

The urgency for an ideal pier and its proper equipment, has been evident for a year or more and recently the engineering department of the two-State Commission called into consultation the engineers connected with the Material Handling Machinery Manufacturers' Association of New York for the purpose of presenting the proposition and having it considered along the broadest possible lines.

As a result of these conferences every manufacturer of cargo handling machinery or apparatus in America has been invited to sit at the consulting table and to submit photographs, plans and specifications of the particular apparatus or machinery made by them.

The best of these appliances will be incorporated as equipment for the plans of the ideal pier, thus making it capable of loading and unloading vessels at the least possible cost and in the shortest possible time. The plans are to be fully worked out so that immediate use may be made of them for actual construction.

The great need for these plans and their official indorsement by the New York-New Jersey Port and Harbor Development Commission has been ascertained during the past few weeks when the two-State Commission's engineer made an extended tour of the Pacific Coast cities during which he was the guest of the Engineering Societies and Harbor Commissioners of the principal west coast ports. Information so obtained, shows that Los Angeles has recently authorized the expenditure of \$4,500,000, San Francisco \$8,000,000, Portland, Ore., \$5,000,000; Tacoma, \$2,500,000 for harbor improvements and that each of these ports is seeking cargo handling apparatus.

In addition to these Pacific coast cities, New York City has plans prepared for the construction of twelve piers, each 1,200 feet long and application has been made for authority to develop Robbins Reef into a huge terminal with eleven piers of 1,000 feet length.

Up to the present, American seaports have given little heed or attention to mechanical cargo handling devices and in this respect is away behind some of the great European seaports. The subject of adequate handling machinery has been a matter of careful investigation by the Engineering Department of the New York-New Jersey Port and Harbor Development Commission and the recent visit to the Pacific Coast has accentuated the need. The invitation sent out to cargo handling manufacturers says:

"In fact every characteristic of physical detail which must be provided in the construction of an ideal pier shed, warehouse, tracking facilities and load highways, in order for the Commission to recommend what would be the most economical type of structure and layout to utilize to greatest efficiency all of the material you make which is suitable for service in the handling of General Cargo, packages, materials, etc., at waterfront, both in loading and unloading ships and in storage and warehousing. Unusually heavy loads not considered.

"This letter is going to every manufacturer in the United States of whom we know who makes equipment which might be suitable, and this is your opportunity, but it is absolutely essential that these statements, together with photographs and information regarding installations must be in the hands of this Committee by June 13.

"This association is working this problem out in conjunction with the New York-New Jersey Port and Harbor Development Commission and desires it distinctly understood that this opportunity is open to every manufacturer in the United States making mechanical handling equipment."

Elegant English.

A woman was one day writing an excuse because she had been slow in answering a letter. She said: "I would have written before, but I have been sick with a dog bite in the arm. The man that owns the sawmill's dog bit me in the road." The excuse was accepted. Her composition sounds very much like that of a small boy who tried to explain to a fellow swimmer the best way to get rid of water in his ears. He saw how uncomfortable the man was and called to him in a friendly way: "Hey, mister, hop on the leg that the ear's get the water in."

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STARTED SOMETHING.

Everybody who went to the state convention of the "New Jersey State League of Republicans Clubs and state and county organizations," to use the language of the "declaration of principles" adopted Saturday, had a good time. On that at least all are agreed, and may be that was the main thing after all in the minds of those who arranged the affair.

So far as concerns the program, it seems to have been more or less cut and dried, which may explain that while 1,500 delegates were present when the proceedings began there was a gradual withdrawal as the speech-making continued, so that, when the platform was ratified, less than a hundred, according to one estimate, were left. Some persons might attempt to attribute these wholesale withdrawals to the fact that the orators were so emphatic in denouncing the League of Nations, but that would be to give more importance to the speeches than they really deserved, for it was apparent that comparatively few paid much attention to what the speakers had to say.

Edward C. Brennan, president of the league of clubs, presided, but the genius of the gathering was State Chairman Edward C. Stokes. He delivered the keynote speech and wrote the platform. In fact, the two were as closely interwoven as the League of Nations' covenant and the peace treaty—so closely that they couldn't be separated. But who should complain on that score? To be sure, there has been a great hullabaloo because Mr. Stokes endeavored to camouflage the convention by declaring that it was a gathering "entirely apart from the official party machinery," but Mr. Stokes is state chairman, isn't he? And if his methods of running the party aren't pleasing to some Republican leaders, and there are enough of them to make effective protest, that will be Mr. Stokes's funeral, won't it? The rank and file should worry.

Peace is coming, to be sure, and after that there is to be another party platform, made under the law—not of the Medes and Persians that alters not, but of New Jersey. The present platform is a pre-primary one to stir up interest. It will not fail in its purpose. Republicans will surely be aroused by the declaration that the party continues to stand for the doctrine of "a protective tariff for the maintenance of the American wage, American industry and American standards of living, and for revenue for the support of the government." As Mr. Stokes said himself, that is a hundred per cent. Americanism, and undoubtedly the declaration will be reiterated when the candidates nominated next September meet to formulate the legal declaration of principles for the party.

But what about the anti-League of Nations plank? That's another question, and it may be of more general interest than most of the other averments put out to stimulate the party during the pre-primary campaign. Anyway, Mr. Stokes's platform has given the people, even Democrats as well as various Republican candidates, something to think about and talk about during the summer season.

And besides, as already said, everybody had a good time at the convention.—Newark News.

Reverses as Business Man
Credited With Making Mark
Twain a Successful Writer

Mark Twain's failure as a business man is said to have made him a greater writer. Instead of having discouraged the humorist in his work, it was in 1894 that his publishers crashed, after having published "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" and "The American Claimant." The first work was a success, but the second met with reverses. When the publishers found themselves in difficulty they saddled the whole burden on Twain, and he took it without a murmur.

Had he not failed in business Twain might have been content to rest on his laurels. Instead he went about paying his debts. His tour around the world was undertaken expressly for that purpose. It was a very successful tour, crowds turning out to hear the famous American. A product of his tour was "Following the Equator," which was a financial success. Having abandoned his desire to become a business man he then settled down to writing. In 1890 he published "Pudd'nhead Wilson," and "The Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc" came out in 1897. His critical essays and "Autobiography" were noteworthy productions, written in a different vein than his works before he devoted his energy to writing.

Twain's later years were spent in a hazy state of mind, and he died a broken man, which explains his "Hill."

ESSAYS READ BY GRADUATES AT HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

SOUTH AMBOY'S CONTRIBUTION TOWARDS WINNING THE WAR.

(By Ruth Emilia Nilson.)

Our city, the city of South Amboy, has surely contributed her share toward the winning of the war. Possibly we were slow in awakening to the great need for activity, on our part, but when the need was realized, we gladly assumed our share of the burden. How graphically this stanza from Kipling describes conditions in our own city, as well as in many other cities:

"We were dreamers, dreaming greatly, in the man stilled town;
We yearned beyond the skyline, where the strange roads go down
Came the whisper, came the vision,
Came the power with the need,
Till the Soul, that is not man's soul,
Was lent us to lead."

How sharply that awakening came! Some homes were called upon to give up the most precious of all their possessions, the boys who were just entering manhood—young men who were looking forward into the future with all the hopes and vigor of youth. But how gladly they answered to the clarion call for service to humanity! How bravely they went forth to endure all the hardships of war, and to face death many, many times, in order that the world might be free from the menace of Imperialism.

South Amboy has 303 stars on her Service Flag and among those, fifteen, gleam with the lustre of pure gold—gleam brighter than the stars in the firmament, for they gleam with the lustre of the pure glory of the greatest sacrifice man can offer. We citizens of South Amboy honor those gold stars, we reverence them, and shall always hold them in remembrance, for those stars proclaim to us more loudly than words could, that fifteen of our South Amboy boys died that we might live and enjoy peace, happiness, and prosperity.

How sorrowful it seems to mention money at this time, but we as a city, are proud of the fact that even though this is not a wealthy community, South Amboy contributed one million, five hundred thirty-four thousand, four hundred dollars toward the five Liberty Loans. It is interesting to know that twenty thousand dollars of this sum was contributed by the teachers and pupils of the public schools of this city. The entire contribution toward the Red Cross in this city amounted to \$22,236.90. The contribution toward the War Work amounted to \$10,493.28. The amount of Thrift and War Saving Stamps bought amounted to \$54,320.00. Over \$4,000 worth of this amount was bought by the teachers and pupils of the public schools of this city.

Thousands of surgical dressings and hospital garments were made at the Red Cross work rooms; thousands of knitted garments were made outside of the work rooms.

The Junior Red Cross organized in all the schools of this city, has contributed many comfort kits, hospital pillows, and refugee garments. From the tiny tots in the Primary Department who could only clip rags for filling the hospital pillows, to the older pupils in the school who made the refugee garments, all gladly contributed a share toward the completion of the tasks assigned. All worked with the same zeal, all with the same purpose—to win the war.

"For their hearts were in the work,
And the heart giveth grace to every art."
Then how loyally we all obeyed the dictates of the Food Administrator. The housewives strove to make nutritious food with various substitutes, personal desires, personal tastes were ignored by every individual in order that each might not fail our government in the hour of the greatest need.

All these contributions of money, time, and service were made even after that terrible catastrophe, which presumably wiped South Amboy off the map. How gloriously the spirit of our people was shown by the way, we immediately rallied all our forces to successfully complete the campaign of the Fourth Liberty Loan.

In spite of all the personal loss and suffering endured by our people on that memorable night of October 4th, when a petition to close the works at Morgan was circulated, it was patriotically spurned, because the people of this city realized that in order to win the war, munition must be made, and they were willing to endure personal danger, in order to win the war.

Other cities have contributed much, probably more, but we as the citizens of South Amboy can well be proud of the splendid work done in the Liberty Loans, Red Cross, War Work, and the Thrift Stamps, and also, of the pluck, energy and patriotism shown by the people of South Amboy during the Great World War.

Ruth Emilia Nilson.

"SOUTH AMBOY HIGH SCHOOL HEROES."

(By Blanche Brinamen)

There are fifty-four names on the Honor Roll of the South Amboy High School. This means that fifty-four members of our alumni were willing to offer the supreme sacrifice, in order that we might enjoy life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. There is but one gold star on our Service Flag, there was but one, called upon to make that sacrifice—how we honor—how we reverence his memory—greater love hath no man than this. Yet such as he have made it possible and sure for other lives to have, to be—for men to sleep content, secure. He gave, as Christ, the life he had. The only life desired or known; for strangers this forgotten dead went out into the night alone.

There was his body broken for you,
There was his blood divinely shed
That huddled now with weed and stone

In some dark field lies lost and dim:
Eat, drink, and often as you do,
For whom he died, remember him.

The South Amboy High School will always aim to keep that bright star gleaming in remembrance for the one who did not return.

It was because of our high, and noble ideals as a nation that this war was waged. It was because of the immediate danger, threatening our lives, our property, and our dearly prized liberty, that this war was fought, and it was because that our boys regarded it as a sacred privilege to enlist in our country's service, that this war was won.

At first the effect upon the immediate student body was slight but many of them enlisted immediately. With the exception of the class of 1907 which had but two members, every class from 1905 to 1919 was represented in the army and in some cases one hundred per cent. of the boys of the various classes were in service. Their progress in the ranks of army life, proved their fitness. Swift and remarkable was their rise—in one case from private to captain of his company. In recalling such instances the heart of the South Amboy High School swells with pride at such glorious deeds of sacrifice and service.

Later the Student Officers' Training Corps was instituted. It was then, that war was fully realized if it had not been before. It called the best manhood of the student body and placed them far away from the environment of school life. To be sure, these youths did not engage in any of the battles. They were not even sent to France but it is the spirit which we laud. The spirit of honor, the spirit of love of country, symbolical of the very spirit of Democracy.

Those of our boys who went across, encountered many dangers and hardships. The transportation facilities were wretched and the existing dangers kept the "folks at home" in mortal dread of reading the daily papers. Submarine warfare made life on a transport exceedingly dangerous, but the boys were brave. They "stood fast and suffered long."

Some went to England, others went to France where they received training in trench warfare. After the lapse of a few months, many of our alumni were in the first line trenches. In some of the most terrific battles our boys were prominent. The deadly Argonne Sector saw our boys bravely fighting. Members of our alumni also fought at Chateau Thierry, Belleau Wood and Saint Mihiel.

We had alumni as despatch runners, ambulance drivers, artillerymen and others. The conditions under which they suffered stifles the human heart, their bravery demands the admiration of every American citizen. As a nurse, a former High School student who has seen service with the Red Cross in France, says, "My work in France was all operating room work. I knew very little of the boys, except that on the operating table they were very brave and bore the pain remarkably well. I think few Americans will ever really appreciate all those boys suffered or fully appreciate the wonderful work they did."

"This is no doubt true. There are many of us who fail to recognize the splendor of our boys. Let us call them heroes for heroes they are."

They fought admirably, suffered bravely and endured discomfort in the same spirit as they met death. They fought on the inspiration of the three words breathed years ago by Patrick Henry, "Liberty or Death." That idea, like our nation, has grown and expanded until to-day that is the center of everything that is sacred, and inspiring, and uplifting in life. What does the service of these boys mean to-day? It means not only liberty for ourselves, the war has caused us to have a broader vision, a greater outlook, a nobler purpose than we as a nation formerly had. It has caused us to realize our responsibility toward the whole world. It has caused us as individuals to reach greater spiritual heights, because we, too, went through the baptism of fire with those we loved and have emerged purified from selfishness, from greed, from many petty faults which hindered our usefulness in the world. Now we are facing a more glorious future, better prepared to take up its responsibilities than ever before.

Yes, peace is here, but we shall not forget. The price we paid; neither shall we regret what we have laid upon the lap of life. But, quiet and unafraid, stand ready still to push the bloody strife before we'll see Humanity betrayed.

So sudden it comes; we listen half in fear
To small sounds in our ear—
Piping of frogs and bark of farm-yard dogs—
Thinking, perhaps, the guns are drawing near,
(Guns; their tongues are tied for a thousand years
And after that there'll be no guns to fear.)

So always we'll remember
This eleventh of November;
This morning when the sun
Washes a world tremulous with gladness.
That wars are done
And all war's awful sadness,
That truth has won—
As truth must always win—
And hell and hate lie throttled in their madness.

The four years' night is ended;
A rosey morn is flooding all the earth.

As mankind rises to a nobler birth
With past ways mended,
And all the future glorious and splendid.

Yes, peace and the rising sun and night withdrawn—
Oh, make us worthy, Lord, to face
The Dawn.

"WOMEN AND THE WORLD WAR."

(By Margaret Olmstead Brown)

When the great world war has receded into the past, sufficiently for us to view it in perspective, perhaps one of its most interesting phases of study will be the part played by women—the effect of women upon the war, and the war's effect upon them. In all wars, women have taken some part. Usually that part has been one of silent suffering—the sacrifice of loved ones with enforced inactivity. This service they have rendered with a truly pathetic zeal and with no touch of bitterness.

A few have been privileged to do deeds of valor and acts of heroism. The Congressional Record of the United States contains the names of three women who distinguished themselves for bravery in battle during Revolutionary times—Molly Pitcher, Margaret Corbin and Deborah Janette. But how few are there in any previous wars compared with the million who have rendered active service in the recent war—yes millions, for although all of our women have not been in the foreground every one of them has worked faithfully and tirelessly toward the one great end—Victory.

There came the call of the wounded and the destitute and the great Red Cross Society with its millions of paid memberships was the answer. What soldier of the allied armies has not received help and attention from the "Greatest Mother in the World." Indeed, the work of the Red Cross is so well known that I need not dwell upon it here. The important thing is that the rank and file of the Red Cross have been women. Women by their labor and sacrifice made possible this great organization of mercy. It is a well known fact that, during the war, there was not one village in the United States so poor, nor one so remote that it did not have a Red Cross working unit conducted by women.

There came a call—this time for more munition workers. Did the women fall back in fear or shirk their duty? Not one of them. They made possible a supply of shrapnel, cartridges and explosives that finds no parallel in all history. Not only in munition factories, but also in every field of home industry, women took the places of men, and by doing so, each woman released a man to fight.

A shortage of food faced the world and how faithfully did our housewives answer the call of Mr. Hoover for food conservation. How difficult their task of making palatable food from substitutes, only those who have tried it know. All over the country, women organized canning and preserving clubs to store away food for winter use and to eliminate all waste. These women practiced true patriotism at home in helping to conserve America's resources during one of the most critical periods of her history.

The farms too called upon women to fill the gaps in the lines left by those men who had followed the flag of their country. And with the advent of women into agriculture came more scientific and more intensive cultivation of the soil—especially in England. Here the women introduced new and scientific farming devices that the old British farmers had long regarded with hostility and suspicion. And, as a result British agriculture has greatly progressed and the produce has increased during the last few years.

In America, women's agricultural classes have been formed in the various colleges and a new interest has been awakened in agriculture since the appearance of "farmerettes" on the field of action.

It would be difficult to find a single constructive activity that has not been invaded by women.

The Red Cross nurses, the Salvation Army Lasses, and the girls connected with the entertainment department of the Y. M. C. A.—all have followed the soldiers to the very front line trenches, bearing with them cheer, and comfort, and the atmosphere of home. From the women left to struggle in the home to the women who have sacrificed life itself amidst the heat of the struggle in "No Man's Land," every woman has contributed according to her ability, towards a great and glorious victory for peace, for righteousness, for liberty, and for freedom.

By working increasingly in every possible field, the women of the world have not only paved the way to the victorious end of the war but have also vastly improved themselves. They have learned new trades and professions and have gained new confidence in their powers as well as developed themselves physically and morally.

From working together, a feeling of sisterhood and equality has grown which must act for the uplifting of all mankind. Petty social jealousies and class distinctions will never again be able to separate women as of old. Just as the comradeship of the firing line and the kinship of a common trench hazard have eliminated caste and made it possible for peer and publican to live and die side by side, so has the community of war endeavor wiped out social barriers, once for all.

And, women's work has been appreciated. Men everywhere have recognized and praised their fidelity to the cause and the magnitude of their labor. The American army has donated a memorial to the work of American women. England has shown her appreciation by granting them the ballot, and now our own Congress has voted in favor of equal suffrage.

A great future lies before us—full of new duties and responsibilities but now, women have tried and have proven to the world their ability to meet new dangers, to take their places

wherever called upon and to fill them with unselfishness and with loyalty.

May the women of ages to come continue the improvement and development of their sex, and may they aspire to that ideal set forth by Edward Brooks in his poem entitled "Be a Woman."
Be a woman! On to duty,
Raise the world from all that's low,
Place high in the social heavens,
Virtue's fair and radiant bow.
Lend thy influence to each effort
That shall raise our nature human;
Be not fashion's gilded lady,
Be a brave, whole-souled, true woman.
Margaret Olmstead Brown.

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FINE PROGRAM AT AUDITORIUM

People Enjoy Commencement Exercises—Fifteen High School Graduates—Raymond Perkins Wins Manual Training Prize—Essays Splendidly Rendered.

The Baccalaureate Sermon.

On Sunday evening the members of the Class of 1919, South Amboy High School, assembled at the Methodist Episcopal Church to hear the Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. George W. Abel, the pastor.

The church was neatly decorated, in keeping with the occasion. Over the pulpit arch were the words in gold letters, "Welcome to Class of 1919." Streamers of green and gold, the class colors, were festooned from the pulpit to the large chandelier in the centre of the church and leading from these colors were streamers of purple and gold, the school colors, running to the floor of the pulpit recess. The import of the arrangement was to imply the pupil entering school and progressing along to the High School and finally graduating out into the world—the whole making a very pretty decoration.

The main audience room was filled with parents and friends of the graduates, when the service opened at 7:45 o'clock. Led by W. M. Eumons, secretary of the Board of Education, the graduates marched from the Sunday School room down the center aisle and took the front seats reserved for them. City Superintendent Barr and several teachers followed.

A brief song service preceded the regular service. Rev. Abel took his text from the 26th verse of the 104th Psalm, "There go the Ships," his theme being "The Voyage of Life." The pastor pictured that it was necessary in order to successfully sail the ship to have an experienced captain and pilot, who must have some port or goal to reach, and above all a chart to tell of dangerous rocks and bars, so that the ship might be safely guided into port. So with the young graduates now entering on the "Voyage of Life" some goal or object in life should be sought and in order to reach that goal a chart to direct the way should be selected and that the best and only safe chart to sail through life by was the Bible which would guide them on to a safe haven. The pastor's remarks were very interesting throughout and were greatly enjoyed and appreciated by the large audience.

Miss Elizabeth Dayton, the organist, executed some very sweet music on the large pipe organ, bringing out its excellent tone, and the choir splendidly rendered several hymns. Mr. Robert Mason beautifully sang two solos, "Hear My Cry, O Lord," and "Rebuke Me Not."

Commencement Exercises.

A large and representative audience assembled at the auditorium of the new High School on Thursday evening to witness the commencement exercises of the Class of 1919.

The stage was nicely decorated with roses and daisies and the class colors, supported by the American flag in the background. The auditorium looked splendid with its new furnishings and brilliant illumination.

The fifteen graduates have cause to rejoice that they had after twelve years of hard work reached the goal to which they have aspired, but they have further cause to be proud of the fact that they were the first to graduate from the new school, and in years to come they can with pleasure point to the building and state this fact.

The members of the high school were seated on the stage and in the front row were the graduates. It was a pretty sight when the graduates, the girls being united by a daisy chain, marched from the entrance of the auditorium to the stage. The girls were handsomely gowned in white.

Miss Yearick had charge of the singing, and Miss Cecelia Alpine presided at the piano. The program opened with a chorus, followed by the invocation by Rev. H. J. Allsup. Essays were splendidly rendered, published on second page. The diplomas Prof.

Barr announced that Raymond Perkins had won the manual training prize, five volumes on mechanics. The prize is awarded by Captain E. C. Roddy each year.

The class presented the school with a picture nicely framed, which was accepted on behalf of the school by Principal Boice.

Rev. Floyd Tomkins, D. D., of Philadelphia, was the speaker of the evening. He complimented the city on the new school building, spoke of trials we had from the result of the explosion, and gave credit to the people for meeting the situation so successfully. He gave a very interesting talk, and congratulated the class on their success in school work, and gave some good advice for them to follow in the future.

The graduates were: College Preparatory Course—Margaret Olmstead Brown, Alva Corella Buckelew, Claire Cecelia Donnelly, Dora Lillian Forgotson, Florence Marguerite Nioptopp, Ruth Emma Nilson, Raymond Earl Perkins, Louise Marie Shaw, Francis L. Tomaszewski, General Course—Blanche Brinamen, Clarence Robert Davis, Commercial Course—Luther Allen Compton, Henrietta Anna Dicker, Beatrice Pauling Selover, Etta May Sullivan.

Miss Brown held first honors and Miss Sullivan second.

The program was as follows: Chorus, "Moonlight Gavotte"; Paul Wachs Invocation, Rev. Herbert Justin Allsup Chorus, "Ships that Pass in the Night"; Frederick Knight Logan "South Amboy's Contribution Toward Winning the War"; Ruth E. Nilson Chorus, "Violet Lady"; Lindsay Redmon "South Amboy High School Heroes"; Blanche Brinamen "Women and the World War"; Margaret Olmstead Brown Chorus, "Morning Mood"; Edward Grieg (Text from Henrik Ibsen's "Peer Gynt") Presentation of Class Gift; Presentation of Diplomas; Supt. of Schools Address, Rev. Floyd Tomkins, D. D. Chorus, "The Americans Come"; Fay Foster (An Episode in France in Year 1918) County Superintendent Herbert Brewster Willis was noticed among the audience, taking his seat far in the rear of the hall. His presence may be considered quite an honor to the school, and showed that he still holds loyalty for the schools of this city.

JAMES—HENSBERGER.

On Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock Miss Elizabeth Hensberger of this city became the bride of William James of Louisville, Ky. After a short honeymoon they will return to their newly furnished home in Metuchen.

WISNIEWSKI—PIERZNY.

Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock a large number of friends and relatives assembled in St. Stanislaus' Church, Hazleton, Pa., to witness the pretty wedding of Miss Sophia Pierzny of Hazleton to Mr. Thomas Wisniewski of this city. Rev. Aloysius Novak performed the ceremony, after which high nuptial mass was celebrated.

Miss Josephine Wisniewska, a cousin of the groom, served as bridesmaid, and Mr. Adam Miglin of Hazleton served as bestman.

After the ceremony the wedding party and guests repaired to the home of the bride where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served and a quiet social held until late in the afternoon when the happy couple started out on their wedding tour. Before returning to South Amboy, where the newlyweds intend to make their home, they will have visited Philadelphia, Atlantic City and New York.

The bride is popular in her home town and well known as a zealous social worker. The groom is very popular in the social circles both of this city and of Hazleton.

Heartly congratulations are extended to the young couple by a large host of friends who wish them success and happiness in their new "ship of life."

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GRAND CELEBRATION TO-DAY WELCOMING HOME OUR BOYS

Committee Has Completed All Arrangements for a Good Time—Victory Parade to Start 4 P. M.—Banquet and Speaking at High School Auditorium After Parade—Street Dancing and Mardi Gras on Broadway in the Evening.

Weather permitting to-day will be memorable in the history of South Amboy. It is the day we welcome home the boys who were in the service of their country. It should be a day of great rejoicing, but still there will be a tinge of sadness owing to some of our boys having paid the supreme sacrifice for their country.

The Welcome Home Committee has completed all arrangements, and if the program is carried out as planned it will be a great day for the boys who wore Khaki. The parade will move from City Hall at 4 p. m., and indications are that it will be one of the largest ever seen in this city. The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will have a great showing, and they have prepared a float that will prove a feature of the parade. The Italian-American Society will turn out strong.

The members of Christ Church parish are requested to assemble at the Parish House at 3 p. m. The Third Battalion Band has been engaged by the parish to lead them.

The ladies of the local Chapter of the Red Cross will prepare a turkey supper for the boys, which will be served at the High School auditorium following the supper addresses will be made by Hon. Thomas J. Scully and other speakers of prominence. The boys will certainly be pleased to have "Tom" with them on such an important occasion.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES AT SACRED HEART SCHOOL.

The commencement exercises of Sacred Heart school were held Wednesday in the parish hall. A large number of friends and relatives witnessed the splendid performance of the school children many of whom showed rare talent. Through the untiring efforts of the Sisters a fine program was arranged and the audience was well pleased with it.

After the exercises Father Strenski delivered an address and presented the graduates with diplomas. The graduates are Martin Madura, Simon Szarejko, Mary Lytkowska, Stella Lagoda, John Walczak, Felix Andzejewski and Andrew Skarzynski.

The following program was rendered: Recitation.....Mary Lytkowska The Little Housekeepers, Sketch..... Josephine Zrebick, Loreta Kubisiak, Celia Witkowska, Helen Skarzynska, The Dentist, Sketch..... John Kabowski, Francis Andrzejewski Daddy's Return, Sketch.....Boys and Girls Swing Cradle Swing, Pantomime.....Girls Colonial Dance, Drill.....Girls Adam and Eve, Sketch.....Stella Lagoda, Simon Szarejko, Andrew Skarzynski What Shall I Be?.....Boys Victory Sketch.....Boys and Girls The Star Spangled Banner, Pantomime.....Girls Valedictory.....Stella Lagoda Address and presentation of diplomas.....Rev. A. B. Strenski After the exercises dancing was enjoyed.

A NEW SERVICE WORKER.

Mr. Joseph Hayes Chandler of New York will take up the War Camp Community Service Work so successfully carried on for several months by Miss Buttenheim and Miss Sayre, on July 1. Mr. Chandler has been reared in similar work, and hopes to make this service work in this city of great benefit and profit to the entire community, and especially to those boys who have served their country so well. Let us extend to him a hearty welcome to this city, and make him feel that he has fallen among friends. He has rented the residence of Prof. O. O. Barr for the summer.

Terra Cotta Co. to Re-open Tuesday.

It is expected that the South Amboy Terra Cotta Company will resume manufacturing on July 1 with a small force of men, which will be added to as business increases. M. J. Nagle will have charge as superintendent.

Street dancing will be held on Broadway and a carnival of rejoicing will be in order. Judging from the supply of confetti and noise makers the merchants have laid in stock it is almost certain there is going to be "some time" on Broadway. A handsome banner has been erected by the committee on Broadway at David street.

The formation of line for the Victory Parade will be as follows:

Grand Marshal
Police Escort
Welcome Home Committee
City Council
G. A. R.
Morrissey's Band
Service Men
(Form on John street between Stevens avenue and Broadway)
Boy Scouts of city
Company F Third Battalion, N. J. S. M.

Band
St. Mary's Parish and School Children
(Form on John street from Stevens avenue to Pino avenue)

Third Battalion Band
Episcopal Church Parish and Public Schools
(Form on Henry street at Stevens avenue to Broadway)

Band
Sacred Heart Parish and Children of School
(Form on Henry street between Stevens and Pino avenues.)

Drum Corps
Brotherhood of R. R. Trainmen
Italian-American Society

Band
Other City Organizations
Lodges and Societies

OLD HOME DAY COMMITTEE TO RUSH PREPARATIONS

On Monday night, June 30th, every member of the former Old Home Day Celebration committee, as well as all others who are interested, are requested to meet at the City Hall at eight o'clock, where an important meeting of this committee will be held.

On account of probably interfering with the plans of the Welcome Home Celebration committee, who are arranging to give the returned heroes of this city, a welcome that will long be remembered, the Old Home Day committee has hesitated about pushing their plans; but with the Welcome Home Celebration over, the committee feels that with a little hustling their plans can be carried out.

At the meeting on last Monday night, the committee was informed that the Third Battalion Band of this city has been secured to furnish music for the festivities on both days, August 8 and 9. The printing of the stationery is being taken care of, and with the various chairmen appointed for the particular committee, including Baby Parade, Athletics, Reception, Victory Parade, Publicity, Lighting, Building, Music, etc., the executive committee expects to meet no hitch when they resume their active meetings which will now follow.

The queen, Miss Alice Gunkel, will be notified that she will be expected to be in readiness for whatever the committee decides to do, in order that proper and due honor be accorded her, for the efforts that she so willingly put forth in 1916, when the celebration was called off on account of the paralysis.

No Light Nor Power.

Our out-of-town subscribers were no doubt later than ever receiving their Citizens of last issue. This was no fault of ours, and even the postal department is exempt this time. The cause was due to the Monmouth Lighting Company failing to supply either light or power. Just as we were reaching the goal Friday afternoon, off went the electrical current, and it was 9 o'clock Saturday morning before we could proceed with getting out our out-of-town mail.

Thomas Chapman and Clarence Hemstreet have secured positions with the Standard Oil Company at Bayway.

NEW TRUST COMPANY OPENS ITS DOORS, ON TUESDAY NEXT

The South Amboy Trust Company long anticipated and long wished for now makes its bow to the people of South Amboy and vicinity.

The bank is practically 100% local, 167 of the townspeople and those in the immediate vicinity having subscribed for stock. There are 1,000 shares of the par value of \$100 each but which have been sold at \$125 making a fund for surplus and expenditures without resorting to the capital. Within a week after subscriptions were opened 1200 shares had been subscribed being 200 shares in excess of the charter allowance.

It was therefore necessary to pare the subscriptions in order to bring the same within the number of shares permitted. The incorporators have been working industriously for the past sixty days or more endeavoring to complete the manifold details preparatory to the opening, which will be July 1. All this has now been accomplished and as required by law the incorporators have chosen officers and directors to serve until the regular annual meeting of the stockholders which will be on the second Tuesday in January.

The officers and directors are as follows:

Officers—President, Donald W. Reed; First Vice-President, John A. Coan; Second Vice-President, William S. Dey; Third Vice-President, Charles L. Steuerwald; Secretary-Treasurer, Harold G. Hoffman.

Directors—Robert Segrave, P. F. Kennah, D. W. Reed, Max Kaufman, Charles L. Steuerwald, A. J. Miller, Leonard Furman, William S. Dey, Herman Ellis and Harry Conard.

The Parison building at the corner of Broadway and Augusta street has been selected as the banking house.

A corps of working men has been busily employed for sometime past refitting and remodeling the building and when the alterations are finished it will be as modern and complete a banking house as can be found in New Jersey.

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KABOSKY—KWILINSKI.

Miss Helen Kwilinski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kwilinski, and Frank S. Kabosky of this city, were united in marriage at nine o'clock on Wednesday morning at the Sacred Heart Church by Rev. A. D. Strenski. Following the marriage ceremony solemn high nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Strenski, with Rev. Joseph Loseniecki of Wilkesbarre, Pa., a cousin of the bride, as deacon, and Rev. Aloysius Novak of Hazleton, Pa., as sub-deacon.

The bride was becomingly attired in a white georgette dress and carried a beautiful bridal shower bouquet of white roses and lilies. Miss Anna Kwilinski, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She was also attired in a gown of white georgette and carried a bouquet of tea roses. The attendant to the groom was Leo Kabosky, a brother of the groom.

After the ceremony an excellent wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, at which friends and relatives of the immediate families were present. The guests were from Dunkirk, N. Y., Brooklyn, Wilkesbarre, Pa., and Hazleton, Pa., South Beach, Conn., Perth Amboy, South River, Sayreville, Helmetta, and this city.

The happy couple departed on the 4:58 train for their wedding trip through New York State and parts of Pennsylvania. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Kabosky will make their home on Washington Road, Parlin. The groom is employed by the du Pont Company at Parlin.

NOTICE TO COMPANY F MEN.

The new uniforms have arrived. Report to Supply Sergeant before Saturday noon. No new equipment will be issued after 1:30 p. m. on Saturday.

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Commencement Exercises Held in School Hall Tuesday Evening—Fine Program Rendered Before a Large Audience—Address by Right Reverend Monsignor Fox.

On Tuesday evening the commencement exercises of St. Mary's School were held in the school hall. The hall was splendidly decorated and the new seats added attractiveness to the surroundings. The stage settings were beautifully and admirably arranged.

The graduates were Rose Callista McNeal, Mary Alice Dewan, Mabel Agnes Watts and Gertrude Regina Mullane.

When the hour for opening the programme arrived, there was a large audience present, evincing the great interest parents and friends maintained in the work of the Sisters in charge of the school. When the curtain lifted, the handsome costuming of the children was a striking feature, and showed that the parents had taken great pride and devoted much labor in the preparation of the little ones for their part in the program.

"Joan of Arc," a drama, was admirably presented and each member of the cast rendered their parts most creditably. The "Famous Baby Show," of which John Dwyer was the Judge, proved a pleasing feature.

Miss Rose McNeal cleverly rendered the Valedictory reflecting credit on herself and instructors.

Rt. Rev. Monsignor Fox of Trenton gave the address of the evening and presented much good advice to the graduates.

As a whole the programme proved very entertaining and afforded much pleasure to the large audience present. The program was as follows:

Program.

Song—"Better be Good".....Little Ones
Tribute to K. of C.....Boy Scouts
Drama—"Joan of Arc"

Characters:

Joan.....Mary Dewan
Madame D'Arc, her mother.....
.....Rose McNeal
Village Girls of Domremy.....Daisy Dance
St. Michael.....John Dooling
St. Margaret.....Mabel Watts
St. Catherine.....Anna Malloy
Angels.....Anna Jacobs, Anna Thompson
Marie d'Anjou, wife of Charles VII.....
.....Gertrude Mullane
Charles VII.....John Cooney
Courtiers.....John Conroy, Lawrence
Trinley, John Ryan, Joseph Kress
Ladies in Waiting.....
.....Mary Duggan, Frances Barrett
Scribe.....John Delaney
Judges.....Thomas Meacham, John Fitzmorris
Guards, Executioners
Patriotic Fantasy.....Girls

Tambourine Dance.....Girls
Orchestra

Recitation—"Erin's Awakening".....Boys
Dance.....Irish Lassies
Song—"The Navy Took Them Over".....Boys
Victory Dance.....Girls
"Famous Baby Show".....John Dwyer
Orchestra
Conferring of Graduating Honors
Valedictory.....Miss Rose McNeal
Address—Rt. Rev. Monsignor Fox
March.....Orchestra
Accompanist.....Mrs. William Stephenson

ATTENTION, SOLDIER BOYS.

All men of this city who have been discharged or are still in the service are requested to meet at St. Mary's lawn at 3 o'clock Saturday, June 28, in order to join in the Welcome Home Celebration. The committee hope they will turn out strong, as the local chapter of the Red Cross is preparing a grand feed for the boys, and appreciation of the work of the ladies could not be better shown than by a large attendance.

Harold G. Hoffman,
Lieut. John Conlogue,
James Cantlon.

TO ADVERTISERS AND OTHERS

Notice is hereby given to advertisers, correspondents, writers of church notes, etc., that it is the intention of the Citizen to go to press on Thursday, July 3, in order to give employees an opportunity to join in the celebration of the Fourth of July, therefore it is requested that copy be sent in a day earlier than usual that week.—Adv.

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